

## CHINESE BOYCOTT SEVERE

American Goods Are Now  
on the Blacklist  
in Orient.

PEKING, June 27.—The question of Chinese exclusion from the United States continues chiefly to occupy the attention of the Chinese.

The extent and depth of the feeling manifested astonishes foreigners and is regarded as an evidence of the growth of a national sentiment of public spirit which five years ago would have been inconceivable.

**REFUSE ADS.**

Among many instances cited as evidence of this it is said that a Chinese comprador has refused a lucrative appointment with an American company; advertisements of American goods continue to be refused by the native newspapers, and letters and telegrams from all parts of China, as well as from abroad, are being received, urging the central government to take a firm stand.

**CHINESE AT HAWAII.**

The chief obstacle is the question of the exclusion of coolies from Hawaii and the Philippines. It is urged that there is no reasonable objection to the landing of coolies in Hawaii, where they do not compete with American labor, while Chinese immigration has long been established in the Philippines.

**THE DEADLOCK.**

These points the Chinese regard as essential, but it is thought unlikely that they will be conceded by the American government, hence the apparent deadlock. With a view of facilitating a settlement, China yesterday proposed to send a special mission to Washington, but American Minister Rockhill declined to entertain the idea. The Chinese deplore the risk of American good will, but claim to have genuine, legitimate grievances.

**THE BOYCOTT.**

In the meantime the boycott of goods from the United States continues and the anti-American campaign is increasing in vigor. The American Minister has applied to the Board of Foreign Affairs to check the movement and Viceroy Yuan of Chi Li province has issued a proclamation on the subject, but its efficacy is considered doubtful.

## LORD CURZON WILL RESIGN

SIMLA, India, June 27.—In spite of Indian Secretary Broderick's denial, it is reiterated today that Lord Curzon or Kitchener has informed the British cabinet that unless important modifications are made in the orders recently issued (giving General Lord Kitchener supreme command of the forces in India) he will resign the viceroyalty.

The possibility of the retirement of Lord Curzon has caused an immense sensation here.

## INSULTED MEMBERS OF EXPEDITION

BERLIN, June 27.—Herr Kunert, a Social Democratic member of the Reichstag, was sentenced at Halle today to three months' imprisonment for insulting members of the German expedition sent to China in 1900, by saying in a campaign speech, "Our soldiers in that desolated land plundered and abused women."

A number of former soldiers of the expedition were present and gave corroborative testimony in detail.

## UNHAPPY RICH WHO DRAG THE GOLDEN BALL



PRESIDENT WHEELER, OF U. C.  
**President Wheeler Wants Reforms in the Divorce Laws --About French Dinners**

HANOVER, N. H., June 27.—Today was given over chiefly to the alumni in the commencement proceedings at Dartmouth College. The Alumni Association held a public meeting at which the principal address was given by President Benjamin H. Wheeler, of the University of California.

**SAD FOR THE RICH.**

One of the saddest features of lives pursued by wealth, President Wheeler said, consists in their isolation from humanity. People who maintain steam yachts and dine Frenchfully at night and flit between Lenox and Newport and Palm Beach and Homburg, are naturally and automatically driven into the society of the like-conditioned and bound there.

**THEIR SONS.**

Their sons attend the same expensive academies, their daughters are polished off at the same elite schools, their sons and daughters meet together and they inter-marry and inter-divorce, and the caste of the great rich emerges.

Sound judgment and clear perspective in these motives and movements of human life are seldom found among the people of the caste who drag the golden ball and chain.

**DIVORCE LAWS.**

We need, he declared, national laws for divorce, for the oversight of insurance, for the regulation of the traffic of the great national system of railways.

**BE AMERICANS.**

We are a nation and must have national laws for national concerns. It behooves us while holding fast to local safeguard for local interests, to court the inspiration of the fuller, richer national life, and be Americans.

## ONE MAN SACRIFICES HIS LIFE TO SAVE THAT OF CHILD; ANOTHER DELIBERATELY KILLS SMALL BOY.

**Chauffeur Purposely Fireman on Pilot of An  
Runs Auto Into Engine Saves  
Youngster. a Baby.**

PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—What is said to be a deliberate attempt of a chauffeur today, resulted in the death of Eldon Gabber, a five-year-old boy.

During a concert last night at Broad street and Susquehanna Avenue, a big automobile driven at a high speed dashed down Broad street.

As the machine approached the crowd, it is said, the driver deliberately steered the automobile toward the child with the evident intention of soiling him. The chauffeur became confused and it crashed into the boy.

The chauffeur then put on all speed and disappeared.

## AGED WOMAN IS KILLED

SAN JOSE, June 27.—Mrs. G. Wendt, an old resident of this city, and mother of the Wendt brothers, prominent meat dealers, was struck by an engine this morning while she was walking on the railroad track between Fifth and Sixth streets, and instantly killed. The track is a curve at that point, and although the train was running at slow speed, the woman was not seen until the train was almost upon her. She was literally cut into pieces. Mrs. Wendt was one of the oldest residents of San Jose, and was widely known and respected.

## PRISONS FULL OF STRIKERS

Great Riots Are Expected  
in Warsaw and  
Vicinity.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, June 27.—All the prisons are full to overflowing, no less than 627 persons, mostly Jews, having been arrested during the last twenty-four hours.

It is expected that a state of siege will be proclaimed, as great riots are anticipated during the mobilization.

The laborers on the beet plantations of Podolova have struck and it is feared their harvest will be lost.

The peasants in the government of Kovno are occupying pasture and other lands of the proprietors of estates.

**PRINCE RESIGNS.**

ST. PETERSBURG, June 27.—Prince Urusoff, governor of Tver, central Russia, has been relieved of his post at his own request.

**EMBARGO ON NEWS.**

ST. PETERSBURG, June 27.—There is a complete embargo on news from Lodz, but generally speaking the situation in Russian Poland shows a little improvement.

Such advances as have arrived here from Warsaw indicate that the strike is only partially successful and that the authorities are keeping the situation pretty well in hand. The ringleaders and agitators are being arrested by the wholesale; over a thousand having been put behind the bars up to this morning.

**BUILT BARRICADES.**

Following the example of the Lodz workmen, the workmen of Warsaw built barricades at five places and blood was shed in defending them. Early last night a young Jew threw a stone at a passing patrol on Krochmara street, whereupon the Cossacks drove a crowd of people into a court yard and fired a volley at them, killing or wounding twenty persons, including five women and a boy. The strikers of the Boamansheve factory on being fired upon by the son of the proprietor retaliated by wrecking the establishment.

**RESERVE MEN.**

Great pains are being taken to appease the reserve men who will be called to the colors at the forthcoming mobilization in Moscow and St. Petersburg. At Moscow, in order to create as little disturbance as possible, it is proposed to take 1,500 men per day for twenty days. The Grand Duchess Elizabeth is arranging to distribute presents to the men and a similar course will be pursued at Romny, government of Poltava.

## TEN YEARS IN THE PENITENTIARY

HELENA, Mont., June 27.—James S. Keel, once president of the Montana Society of Civil Engineers, who shot and killed Thomas Crystal, bartender in a Helena saloon, three years ago last April, was today sentenced by Judge Leslie at Great Falls, to ten years in the State penitentiary for manslaughter, the maximum punishment.

## DIED SUDDENLY.

NORWICH, Conn., June 27.—Samuel S. Hopkins, president of the Hopkins & Allen Arms Company, died suddenly today of heart trouble, aged 75 years.

## HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

Cures Headache, nervous disorders or impaired digestion. Believes quickly.

## STRIKE LEADER REMOVED

President Shea Ousted  
From Office By His  
Colleagues.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The Post says: Formal removal of International President C. P. Shea of the Brotherhood of Teamsters, has been decided upon by the international executive board. The anti-Shea leaders in the committee practically have voted to depose the leader. A "trial" has been held and President Shea has been found guilty of violating the constitution and by-laws of the teamsters' organization.

There is no appealing from the action of the international committee.

It is planned promptly to announce the finding of "guilty" and to declare the office of President vacant until Shea's successor shall be elected at Philadelphia in August.

**OPPOSED TO SHEA.**

For weeks the international board has been opposed to Shea and his methods. Fear that the move to depose the leader would make him a "martyr" among the rank and file and insure his reelection as president, caused members of the board to postpone their action.

Last night's unequivocal vote of the department store drivers and the striking express wagon drivers against accepting the latest settlement offers of the employers and the palpable return to power of Leader Shea, so far as the rank and file of the teamsters is concerned, determined the board to act.

**SPECIAL CHARGES.**

The special charges against President Shea are calling a strike contrary to the constitution and making expenditures of the brotherhood's money contrary to the terms of the constitution and by-laws.

M. J. Dwyer, a member of the International Board, who has not been in Chicago since the board was summoned to meet here daily to help in managing the strike, is likewise under suspension. He was tried by his board and denied a right to sit in its councils.

**ILLEGAL STRIKE.**

"I don't think they will do it," was the reply of President Shea when asked about the reported action of the board.

"But what if they do? Will that settle the strike?"

"I might be re-elected or take one of the several offers that have been made to me."

The executive board does not charge Shea with dishonesty in handling the union funds, simply that his orders brought about expenditures that had to be made on account of calling a strike illegally.

## MRS. F. J. MOFFITT ILL IN NEW YORK

Jefferson G. Moffitt was suddenly called East this morning owing to the illness of his mother, who is in New York. Mrs. Moffitt may have to undergo an operation.

## TROOPS SENT AFTER PEASANTS

KHARKOFF, Russia, June 27.—Troops were dispatched from here today to three adjoining districts where the peasants are sacking estates and burning buildings.

## MITCHELL NOT ON STAND

Oregon Senator Rests His  
Case With Only One  
Witness.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 27.—United States Senator Mitchell will not bear testimony for himself in his struggle for honor and perhaps for liberty in the land fraud cases.

The long trial has practically come to a close. The court room was crowded today when the session opened, many being drawn by the story that today the aged Senator would take the stand, and by his own words attempt to disprove the testimony of his former partner, Judge A. H. Tanner, and of his former private secretary, Harry C. Robertson.

But all these were disappointed and surprised, for the case for the defense was rested within an hour after the court had been called to order.

**ONE FOR DEFENSE.**

Only one witness was examined by the defense, he being J. A. Martin of Portland, who testified that he had asked the Senator to secure the establishment of the harbor lines several years ago.

**THE ARGUMENT.**

Senator Thurston addressed the court in argument as to the instructions to be given the jury when the case was sent to them. He contended that the indictment alleged that money had been paid to the Senator by Fred A. Kribbs and argued that the proof showed that checks had been given Tanner, who in turn sent checks to Mitchell, thus preventing any knowledge on the part of the defendant as to the source of his dividends paid him by the firm.

**MONEY PAID.**

The defense claimed a close similarity to the case of Senator Burton of Kansas, and maintained that while the indictment charged the direct receipt of money from Kribbs by Mitchell, the most that could be shown was the indirect receipt of money from the bank and that while the indictment alleged the receipt of checks, this did not occur, as the checks were purchased by the bank and the money later indirectly received by Mitchell was not Kribbs' money but that of the bank.

**HENEY'S CLAIM.**

District Attorney Henev maintained that the indirect receipt of money was all that was contemplated by the statute.

Attorney A. S. Bennett wanted Judge De Haven to instruct the jury that in case it was shown Mitchell received money without knowing it was unlawfully acquired, a later knowledge of this by the defendant could not lay him open to the charge of crime.

**MAY GO TO JURY.**

Arguments began at 2 o'clock today and there is still some slight possibility that the case will go to the jury before night.

## REFUSES TO TELL OF FORGED NOTES

CLINTON, Mo., June 27.—It is reported today but not confirmed that the alleged use of forged notes by the closed bank of Salmon, as security amounts to nearly \$100,000. State Bank Examiner Cook declined today to indicate the amount of the forged notes. "I cannot give the amount," said Mr. Cook. The Kansas City State Bank, which lent \$150,000 to the Bank of Salmon, holds \$307,000 worth of securities of the Salmon Bank, more than sufficient to cover the loans, even after the straw notes have been deducted from that amount.

## SECRETARY HAY IN NO DANGER

NEWBURY, June 27.—Mrs. Hay telegraphed her son-in-law, Payne Whitney, to make no change in his plans to sail for Europe today with Mrs. Whitney, saying that Mr. Hay was in no danger.

## YALE THE FAVORITE.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 27.—Yale and Harvard met on Yale Field this afternoon for the 1905 championship baseball game. Yale was the favorite at 2 to 1.

## DEATH UNDER A CAR

Southern Pacific Work-  
man Crushed at  
West Oakland.

J. L. Gagnon, a car cleaner, 27 years of age, employed by the Southern Pacific Company, was instantly killed this morning while at work repairing a freight car.

The deceased was beneath the car and did not observe the approach of a switch engine, which bumped into the freight car.

The workman was terribly mangled before he could be removed from beneath the car.

M. J. Callahan was under the car at the same time and had a miraculous escape from instant death.

Neither of the men observed the approach of the switch engine and the engine crew failed to observe the two men beneath the car.

The remains have been removed to the morgue. Coroner Mehrmann will hold an inquest to fix the responsibility for the death.

Gagnon was married and had been employed by the Southern Pacific Company about an hour.

## GENERAL WOOD'S STATEMENT

SAYS RECENT TROUBLE DID NOT  
ORIGINATE IN PHILIPPINES.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Major General Wood, who arrived on the Manchuria today, when asked about the recent trouble in Samar, said: "They did not originate in the Philippines, and the Sultan co-operated with our troops in capturing the bandits that were terrorizing the country. These men were a lot of pirates from Borneo. As they were under sentence to be hanged by the British government, they were desperate, and thirty-eight men were killed or wounded before they were finally captured."

"With this exception there have been no active operations in any part of the islands for a long time. The health of the troops is excellent."

General Wood expressed his belief that the Philippine tariff eventually would permit free importation of the products of the islands. Railroad construction will probably begin at once, said the General, who added:

"I regret that I shall not be able to finish my business in time to return to the islands with Secretary Taft and his party. I shall not see them unless we meet on their return in Japan."

CHICAGO, June 27.—The secretaries of the United Commercial Travelers today elected B. F. Andrews, Portland, Maine, president, and G. Watt Sheldon, Denver, Colo., secretary.

## SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

We have received instructions from Mrs. C. to sell the fine furniture of her six-room home, No. 247 Bancroft way, near Telegraph Avenue, Berkeley, Cal. Thursday, June 29, at 11 a. m. fine Baby Grand piano, elegant odd pieces of parlor furniture, lace curtains, Brussels carpets, odd dresser, chiffonier, china, glass, fine bedding, folding beds, cot, couch, gas range, waterbed range, etc., etc. All must and will be sold. The furniture of this house is in first-class condition.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.  
1007 Clay street, Oakland; Tel. Brown 141.

## GROCERY AUCTION

By order of the Board of Trade, on Thursday, June 29, 1905, at corner of Shattuck and University avenues, Berkeley, Cal. Complete stock of new and fresh staple and fancy groceries also eatables, cigars, tobacco, etc. Also, one fine horse, harness and also one fine computing scale, oil lamp, etc. The store was opened and stock purchased one month ago and deserves the attention of the trade and public. Estimates, horse and wagon will be sold at 1 p. m. MEYER & MEYER, Auctioneers.  
Office, corner Blight and Franklin streets, Oakland; phone Cedar 44.



<p>accompanied the second mate. They were then fifty-five miles from Cape Horn. Captain Behrens gave first and</p>	<p>Estimates cheerfully given.</p>
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## THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY=4:30 P. M.

## CHARLOTTA COLLINS TRIES TO STRIKE HER RIVAL

Rushes at the Woman She Hates—Detective Gibson Interferes and Prevents Open Battle.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—WITH HER ARM UPRaised AS THOUGH TO STRIKE, MRS. CHARLOTTA NEWMAN COLLINS RUSHED AT CLARICE MURPHY COLLINS THIS MORNING AT THE HALL OF JUSTICE. DETECTIVE TOM GIBSON WAS PRESENT AND INTERFERED IMMEDIATELY. HE DECLARED THAT IF HE HAD NOT BEEN PRESENT THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN A SENSATIONAL BATTLE BETWEEN THE RIVAL WIVES OF GEORGE D. COLLINS. MRS. NEWMAN ALSO SOUGHT TO APPROACH THE WOMAN WHO HAS TAKEN HER DAUGHTER'S PLACE, BUT WAS PREVENTED FROM DOING SO. THE ATTACK WAS SO SUDDEN AND SO QUICKLY AVERTED THAT MOST OF THOSE ABOUT THE HALL OF JUSTICE DID NOT KNOW OF IT UNTIL LATER.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The flood of resentment within the heart of Mrs. Charlotte Collins broke the barriers of restraint this morning, and in the burst of its fury she attempted to strike Clarice Murdock, the woman for whom George D. Collins has deserted her. Mrs. Newman, mother of Mrs. Collins, also permitted her feelings to get the ascendancy, and she moved as though to attack the object of her daughter's hatred. Had it not been for the presence of an officer of the law a sensational scene would have been enacted in the corridor of the Hall of Justice. Even as it was the event was dramatic in the extreme.

Few persons witnessed the attempted assault. It was an affair of a moment only. The prompt interference of Detective Tom Gibson put a stop to the hostilities almost before they had commenced, and the throng of curious men who had followed the two Collins families out of the courtroom melted away without having had the benefit of the exciting episode.

## COLLINS SHIELDS MURDOCK.

George D. Collins arrived at the Hall of Justice just at 10 o'clock, bringing the new mistress of his heartstone and her mother, Mrs. Sarah Murdock, with him. He took the two women into the County Clerk's branch office and found seats for them. Mrs. Murdock and her daughter were not to be permitted to be contaminated by association with the courtroom crowd as long as Collins could prevent it. Mrs. Charlotte Collins, her mother, Mrs. Newman, Florence Newman and William Newman arrived at the same hour, but there was no meeting and no encounter then. The Newman-Collins family entered the courtroom and stood along the rear wall, close to the door. Then came court proceedings, in which Collins again successfully fought for and lay, at the same time, a withering grilling from Special Prosecutor Hiram

Johnson. The scathing rebuke of the eloquent Johnson may have operated to stir up the feelings of the first Mrs. Collins and her relatives. It is not unlikely that it did.

## SCENE IN THE CORRIDOR.

To fan the fire, Collins walked down the aisle, brushed by them, and shortly thereafter re-entered the courtroom with his new wife and mother-in-law on his arms. He did not essay to lead them past Charlotte Collins and her mother. Perhaps he feared the latter's wrath. He seated his new family by the side wall of the court, at an angle to the castoffs. Then he brushed the latter's hand and rushed into the courtroom before the bar. All witnesses were instructed to appear Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and the proceedings for the day were at an end.

The Murdock family arose and passed quickly from the courtroom, the Newman-Collins family following close upon their heels, in advance of the crowd of men moving toward the corridor. Just outside the door Detective Tom Gibson was standing. Mrs. Murdock and Clarice Murdock started to enter the County Clerk's office.

## MRS. NEWMAN IS FURIOUS.

"None of that," he said firmly, "walk right on out." Mrs. Collins moved away, but just at that moment her mother rushed toward the Newman-Collins family, and she ordered the angry old lady to move on down the corridor. She stood for a moment, as though undecided. "Come on, mamma," urged Florence Newman, as she led her mother away. The Newman-Collins family entered the courtroom and stood along the rear wall, close to the door. Then came court proceedings, in which Collins again successfully fought for and lay, at the same time, a withering grilling from Special Prosecutor Hiram

made her move away. It was all over in a moment.

## COLLINS SPARS FOR TIME.

When the case against Collins was called by Judge Lennon the defendant arose and stated that the Supreme Court had not ruled on his writ of prohibition. Chief Justice Beatty had told him that the matter would be disposed of this morning and a writ issued or denied. If issued, he did not know whether or not it would go to the Court of Appeals. He thought it might be well to transfer the matter to that court. Pending some action, however, he wanted another delay, and suggested that the matter be continued until Thursday.

## JOHNSON GRILLS COLLINS.

It was then that Attorney Hiram Johnson opened his verbal batteries on Collins. Addressing the court, he said: "Not representing the District Attorney, but acting upon behalf of those who have been injured by this man's crime, I demand an immediate and a speedy trial. It is such daily-dallying as this that brings not only the courts but the law into contempt. If this man is guilty, let him be convicted and sent to prison to serve his time like any common criminal. If he is innocent, let him be acquitted and let us all bow our acknowledgments to him."

"Any innocent man, charged with such a crime, would beg for an immediate trial that he might vindicate his honor. Any guilty man would do as this man is doing. He would quibble and fight for delay. The guilty do not seek the law." Collins tried to fight back. "We did not come to hear stump speeches such as would suit a politician," he said. "I am not a politician, but I am a man of law."

## CONTINUED UNTIL THURSDAY.

"We do not wish to commence this trial and have our work vitiated by a writ of prohibition. A judicious pause now would probably save time in the end." A judicious pause, blazed Johnson. "Does your Honor realize that the defendant might have sought this writ a month ago? Why did he not think of it then? He has permitted the time to drag on. Now, when we are ready to proceed, he seeks 'judicious pauses.' We hope your Honor will see through these pretenses and not be misguided." Collins agreed that if the action on his writ, which action he took today, was denied to him, he would be ready to go to trial on Thursday morning, and on that understanding the case was continued to that time.

## COUNT WISHES PEACE

Member of Japanese Royalty in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Count Matsui, First Secretary to the Japanese Legation in London, arrived this morning on the Manchuria and registered at the Occidental Hotel. The Count has been on a year's leave of absence, but explained his stay in Japan "as being detailed on other duty."

"I should interview you," he said today, "instead of being interviewed, as I have been at sea for nearly three weeks and I do not know what has been done. I am particularly interested in the movements of Marshal Oyama's army, and have been wondering if a big battle has been fought."

The Count expressed satisfaction at the intelligence that there had been no serious collision, and went on to say: "There are, of course, a great many people who are desirous of a war for war, but being in war, wish to have peace so made that we reap some benefits. We wish it to be distinctly understood that we are not a warlike people and that we have no love for war, but being in war, wish to push it to a satisfactory conclusion."

When the Count learned that as yet the Japanese Government had not named its plenipotentiaries, but that Russia had named two, he seemed to be relieved, and turned a battery of questions as to the European situation. He was apparently surprised that there was no war between Sweden and Norway and at the acquiescence of King Oscar in the separation of the kingdom.

"It may interest some of the San Francisco friends of Count Terashima that he has lately married and that he is in perfect health," said the Count. "You know that I am well acquainted in San Francisco, for I was here some eight years ago as the Consul. From there I was to the East and have served Japan as the First Secretary of the Legation in Washington, in Rome and in London. I do not intend to make a long stay in the city, but will proceed at once to my post in London."

## RICHEST MAN IN BOSTON

BOSTON, June 27.—Joshua Montgomery Sears Jr. is today the richest man in Boston. The bulk of the Sears estate, a large share of the family estate, and many acres of the paternal land came to him through the death of his father, J. Montgomery Sears, at his home in Southboro the last week of May.

The father was the richest man in Boston, his estate being valued at \$50,000,000. In this city alone he paid taxes on his property to the amount of \$1,000,000. The son will secure a sufficient share of the family wealth to succeed him as Boston's wealthiest citizen.

"Like father, like son," was never more appropriately applied than to the son of a house named J. Montgomery Sears Jr. His general resemblance to his father has always been marked. Each year his friends desire him to come to look more and more like him.

He is hardly more than 30 years of age, good-looking, tall, of athletic build, a handsome specimen of sturdy American manhood. "He is unmarried," said a hostess.

The elder Sears was a lover of outdoor life. So is the younger. The father was noted for his democratic bearing in society or business. The son has the same outward manner. Mr. Sears Sr. had simplicity of taste in dress. Mr. Sears Jr. also abhors ostentation in apparel or jewelry.

The similarity between the two men is not confined to their outward appearance. The elder Sears was a man of letters and a lover of the fine arts. The son has inherited the taste and judgment in matters culinary have been inherited by the son.

The late J. Montgomery Sears was a finished musician, excelling as a violinist and organist. The organ built in to the Arlington street residence, and a choice collection of violins, violoncellos and other stringed instruments are among his treasures. The present head of the family is also a true lover of music.

The new multi-millionaire is a graduate of Harvard University and the Harvard Law School. He is also somewhat of a linguist, speaking French and German with fluency.

Altogether, few young Americans were ever better equipped to assume the duties and responsibilities that accompany the inheritance of a vast estate.

## FRUIT TO BE SOLD IN EAST

Anderson Says Record of Last Year Will Be Beaten.

SACRAMENTO, June 27.—Lieutenant-Governor Anderson, president of the California Fruit Distributors, said in an interview with a Bee reporter today:

"Referring to an article published in a San Francisco paper yesterday to the effect that the deciduous fruit shipments of California would be several hundred cars less than last year, and that the aggregate shipment this year would not be over 5,000 cars, I would say that the person giving this information must have spoken without being fully informed as to the facts."

"The shipment up to date is some 600 cars ahead of the shipment last year, and the total deciduous fruit shipments from the State this year will exceed those of last year by 2,000 cars. The shipment of deciduous fruit from the State last year approximated 5,700 cars. Thus, the deciduous shipment this year will approximate 7,700 cars."

The California Fruit Distributors shipped forty cars of deciduous fruit to the East today, as against sixteen shipped on a corresponding date last year. The total number of cars shipped to date this year is 1,010, as against 447 to a corresponding date in 1904.

## FOULDS BACK AT HIS DESK

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—"I am back and I am sitting on my baggage till the inspector comes around and lets me go."

It was the voice of John E. Foulds, who was telephoning from the Pacific Mail dock to the law offices of the Southern Pacific. He had come from the Far East on the Manchuria.

Foulds has been away for the past three months on a tour of the Orient, and it is believed that he has been giving hints to the managers of the Imperial roads in Japan how to combine politics with railroadings. According to the statement of John E. Foulds, over the phone to Frank Shay, he has had a gay time in China and Japan, and he scouted the idea that his trunk was laden with the spoils of the curial states of the Flowery Kingdom and those of the Land of the Chrysanthemum.

His daughter, Miss Grace, also returned today on the Manchuria. Mr. Foulds says that in future when he hears a passenger complain of a delay to wait in the shed at the Pacific Mail dock he will turn a kindly ear, as he did not relish waiting there from 3:30 p. m. till nearly noon.

## PASSES BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Captain E. H. Hunt, who has for so many years been in command of a Company of the Fifth Infantry of this city, has just successfully passed the examination required by the regulations of the National Guard for promotion to the position of major, and is now, in every respect entitled to the commission of major, to which rank he was elected by the officers of the Second Brigade a few weeks ago. His commission will reach him in about two weeks.

The ordeal was a severe one and was conducted by the examining board of the Second Brigade, of which the Fifth Infantry is one of the regiments.

Captain Hunt succeeded to the place made vacant by the resignation of Major Fowler. His accession to that place will require a election to choose a successor to himself and will also cause a change in the position of both first and second lieutenants.

## AN OLD MAN IS SENT TO ASYLUM

Gregor Berger, aged 88 years, who became violent at the Alhambra, where he has been an inmate for several years, was committed to the Ukiah Asylum for the Insane by Judge Ellisworth this afternoon.

## DEPOSITORS ARE AFTER THEIR MONEY

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 27.—When the doors of the Vigo County Bank opened this morning a number of depositors were in line to withdraw their money. They withdrew steadily though in an orderly manner.

George Potter, wife of S. A. Potter, has sued the Pommer-Potter Music Company to recover \$1,300 and costs on two promissory notes.

SAN JOSE, June 27.—Some hundreds of teachers and students have so far registered for the State Normal summer school, the active session of which will begin tomorrow morning.

## WOMEN CAUSE DOWNFALL OF BOY FOOTPAD

Identify Lad as Being a Bold Highwayman Who Robbed His Own Home.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Seven-year-old Nathan Otterbeck, the police declare, robbed his own home to get a revolver with which to do highway robbery.

Now the lad is a prisoner at the City Prison, identified as the highwayman who held up and attempted to murder Ferdinand Smith at Seventeenth and Utah streets, shortly before midnight Sunday night. He owes his undoing to a couple of plucky young women who hastened to the assistance of Smith when he called lustily for help.

Smith was on his way home, and at 11:50 Sunday night had reached a point about a block distant from his residence, 518 Utah street, when a masked and armed footpad stepped out on the sidewalk in front of him, and demanded his money. Smith said that he had no money, and then called loudly for assistance. He noticed two women standing on the corner, who had been passengers with him on a car from town, and when he called out for help these two women came running toward him. Seeing them approaching, and not being able to determine in the darkness whether they were men or women, the footpad fired one

shot in Smith's face, turned quickly after the shooting, and made his escape by jumping over a high board fence which runs along the line of the street in that neighborhood.

The footpad's victim explains that he noticed the nervousness of the robber, and to this fact alone he owes his narrow escape from death. The women who came to his assistance recognized the robber, and while Smith did not ask them their names, he learned from them that the man who had attempted to shoot him was Nathan Otterbeck, a boy who lives with his parents at Nineteenth and Debra streets.

Detectives Graham and Harrison were advised immediately that Otterbeck was the man wanted, and they arrested him near his home this morning. He was identified at the station by Smith, and the arresting officers found the revolver and white handkerchief mask in his pocket.

Otterbeck is a son of F. A. Otterbeck, a contractor. He has been a wild boy for the past six or seven years, and has spent much of his time in the Youth's Detention. He has been convicted of petty offenses, but his youth has always saved him from prison.

## PHILADELPHIA IS HOW TO EDUCATE INDIANS

CHIEF ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL AND OTHERS ADDED TO "RETIRED LIST."

PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—William F. Wilkins, chief assistant fire marshal, was summarily removed today. Four policemen were also dismissed. William Yost, judge of election, today pleaded guilty to making a fraudulent return of election, and was sentenced to five months in the County Prison and to pay a fine of \$500.

Bernard Strauss, inspector in the same division, pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiracy, and was fined \$500 and sentenced to five months' imprisonment.

William Glenn, the inspector's clerk, pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiracy, and was fined \$500 and sentenced to four months' imprisonment.

## DIPLOMATIC VICTORY FOR GERMANY

Suit to recover ten acres of land at San Leandro, alleged to be illegally held, and for \$350 damages, instituted by Mrs. Margaret Adams against Joseph Opreman, was begun before Judge Ellisworth today. Mrs. Adams alleges that she leased eighty acres to Robert Armstrong, who, in turn, sublet ten acres to Opreman for one year. This was in November, 1903. Since then, she says, Opreman has continued to hold the land, although the lease expired last November.

## GOVERNOR PARDEE ISSUES WARRANT

SACRAMENTO, June 27.—The Governor today issued a warrant of arrest upon the request of the Governor of Nebraska for William Odell, wanted in Platte county, in that State, for causing the death of a young woman by a criminal operation. Odell is now in the regular army and is located at the Presidio in San Francisco.

## WOMAN FILES DEMURRER.

Mrs. Ada T. Shade, who is being sued for divorce by C. W. Shade on the ground of her intimacy with Arthur Meyers and has filed a demurrer to the complaint on the ground that the allegations of misconduct are not sufficiently specific.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

Louis Bohn, Oakland.....	42
Vance Hohn, San Francisco.....	42
Chauncey B. Jones, Berkeley.....	25
Margaret M. Matthews, Berkeley.....	25
Harry Meade, San Francisco.....	25
Thelma M. Mookel, Alameda.....	25
Everett J. Brown, Oakland.....	28
Winifred L. Osborne, Berkeley.....	25
William F. Morrish, Berkeley.....	25
Florence J. Burpee, Oakland.....	25
Arthur M. Cathcart, Palo Alto.....	25
Edna E. Wallace, Indianapolis.....	28

## THUGS SLUG A LANDLORD

ADMINISTER FATAL INJURIES IN ORDER TO GET \$7 AND A WATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—John Germain, proprietor of the New Avenue House at 904 Kearny street, was assaulted and robbed by two thugs.

Germain was conducting two young men to a room when they pounced on him from behind, cleft his skull to the brain in two places with some sharp instrument, probably a hatchet, and rifled his clothes of \$7 and a gold watch valued at \$150. In their haste the robbers overlooked \$92.50, which Germain had in a purse in his trousers.

The injured man lay unconscious for an hour, then made his way to his room. He tried to arrest the flow of blood, but was unsuccessful. He staggered into the street and fell in a faint in the arms of Policeman Jim Ward.

Germain was taken to the Central Emergency Hospital, where he was found to be dangerously if not fatally wounded. Dr. Frank Tillman discovered two openings into the man's brain. The sharp instrument pierced the bone once in the back of the head and again in front. Dr. Tillman believes Germain was assaulted with a hatchet.

Germain, although he suffered two fractures of the skull, was conscious, and told the following story:

"I rented a room to two young men. As I started upstairs to show them their bed I was knocked down by a blow on the head. Then all was black to me. When I recovered I found my watch and \$7 gone. I did not think I was badly hurt."

The policemen who found Germain did not think him seriously hurt. Policemen Ward, Skain and Special Daggett made a hurried search of the house and found blood over everything. Detectives Wren and Reynolds are working on the case.

## CHESS TOURNAMENT.

ST. LOUIS, June 27.—The fourteenth annual chess tournament contestants faced each other in the twelfth round today. The games were decided before lunch. Alvin defeating Taubenhau, Blacker drew with Maro and Blackburne with Wolfe. Schlechter has yet to score his first defeat.

## WILL TRY TO LIVE HAPPILY

LOUIS AND NANCY BOHN TO ENJOY ANOTHER HONEYMOON.

DIVORCED for six years, after twelve years of married life, Louis and Nancy Bohn called at the County Clerk's office today and secured a license to remarry.

They were married at Galt, Canada, in 1893, and subsequently came to California. After living together nearly twelve years they quarreled and the wife left her husband. In 1899 Bohn secured a divorce on the ground of desertion.

In taking out their second license today Bohn gave his age as 42 and that of Mrs. Bohn as 38. He lives in Oakland and her residence is in San Francisco.

## HELD ON CHARGE OF FORGERY

CHICAGO, June 27.—George Bartholomew, said to be a wealthy contractor from Prussia, is under arrest here charged with forgeries aggregating \$24,000.

He was arrested on complaint of German Consul Weber.

Bartholomew was arraigned before United States Commissioner Poole today and the case continued for thirty days in order that depositions might be obtained from Chicago. Bartholomew must remain in jail, as the offense is unlawful.

## RACE TRACK MEN APPEAR IN COURT

ST. LOUIS, June 27.—Charles Ceila, Max Gumperts, Clinton Parker and Frank L. Williams, who have been arrested at Delmar race track on charges of violating the anti-betting law, were arraigned today. They waived preliminary hearing and were bound over to the Grand Jury in the sum of \$10,000 each. The case of George Ehrlich was continued until July 11.

## BREWERIES END BATTLE

MAKE A COMPROMISE WITH STATE REGARDING LICENSES.

WHEELING, West Virginia, June 27.—A conference between Tax Commissioner C. W. Dillon and big brewery interests has resulted in a settlement of the great battle of the State for payment of taxes in arrears alleged to be to the extent of \$1,000,000.

The compromise affects the 12,000 indictments already found by providing that they shall be submitted to the several courts without evidence, thus knocking the prosecuting attorneys out of \$10 fees in each indictment.

The State sought by indicting the brewers for every sale made without wholesale licenses in the past five years, to compensate its treasury for the loss of license fees in that period. The compromise does not affect the breweries out of the State who must pay a wholesale license.

## CASES TREATED AT THE HOSPITAL

While feeding a fire with crude oil this afternoon, L. Kernline, an engineer employed by the California Ice Company at Second street and Broadway, was severely burned about the head and face. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital and later removed to his home at 1781 Sixth street, West Berkeley.

Warren Munro, fourteen years old, was treated at the hospital for a lacerated hand which was caught in a sticker at the California Sash and Door Factory. He lives at 1864 Tenth street.

## W. C. T. U. IS IN SESSION

PORTLAND, Ore., June 27.—The first day's session of the two days' W. C. T. U. conference, began today at the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition with special exercises in the Oregon State building. Addresses of welcome were delivered by representatives of the exposition, corporation and the State commission. Responses were made by Mrs. Anna Williams, of Michigan, and by the representatives from California and other States. At the conference today plans were discussed and the progress of the work was set for Thursday.

## AGED MAN IS KILLED

STOCKTON, June 27.—A man about 70 years old, who gave the name of William Otter, was killed at Lodi today, being struck by a locomotive. He was crossing a bridge when he saw the approaching train. He got down on one side and escaped the first engine. He evidently tried to get up then, supposing there was no more, when the second engine struck him.



# GERMAN ANSWER TO NOTE

Has No Desire to Go to War With France.

BERLIN, June 27, 1:50 p. m.—The German answer to the French note on the subject of the proposed Moroccan conference was sent to Paris yesterday.

A high official near Chancellor Von Buelow informs the Associated Press that the German note, while perfectly amiable in form, insists upon a conference and also declines to comply with France's request that Germany outline beforehand the program of the conference.

The Chancellor takes the stand that the Moroccan question is an international affair and Germany, having accepted the Sultan's invitation to a conference on the subject, cannot rightly agree with any single power as to what can be discussed at the conference.

Germany insists that France must agree to the conference before any arrangements are made as to the specific discussion. Germany is willing to listen to France's wishes.

The official's attention being called to the warlike talk in the foreign press, he replied:

"The fact that we are urging a conference is clear proof that we have no wish for war with France. When a nation wants war it cannot ask for a conference at the same time. If we wanted war with France we would have regretted M. Delcasse's fall, since he was the greatest obstacle to good relations with France. On the contrary, M. Delcasse's removal and Premier Rouvier's decision to retain the Foreign portfolio gave great satisfaction in German official circles, because we saw in these steps a guarantee of improved relations."

PARIS, June 27, 3:05 p. m.—The Council of Ministers today considered the status of the Franco-German negotiations. Premier Rouvier announced that he expected to have a conference later with Prince von Radolin, the German Ambassador, who would deliver the German reply to the French note on the subject of Morocco.

In the meantime the officials here consider that the situation has been considerably relieved in view of the intimations they have received from the French Ambassador at Berlin concerning the general purport of the German position.

# DYING FROM THIRST

GOLDFIELD, Nev., June 27.—Prospectors coming into Bullfrog report that they found two men wandering aimlessly about in Death valley beyond the Funeral range. The men were insane, absolutely naked, with tongues black and swollen, completely filling their mouths and protruding. Their limbs were also swollen.

The men had evidently become delirious from thirst while prospecting through Death valley. Their misfortunes are but a repetition of several similar cases in that region during the past week. The springs are drying up and the usual supply of water is lacking.

The prospectors are so scattered over the vast region that there is no way of warning them. Carcasses of horses and burros, heavily laden and without owners, have been found in great numbers. This season of the year is unfit for all prospecting. The men are being cared for and steps are being taken to identify them.

Charles Pingree is playing hang-up ball for San Leandro.

# ROOSEVELT APPEARS AS A "GRAD."

Attends the Commencement at Harvard, But Not as the President.

BOSTON, June 27.—As a Harvard "grad," purporting to participate in the reunion of his class and in the commencement exercises of his college, and not as President of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt came to Massachusetts today.

Nevertheless his coming to Cambridge was to signalize one of the most notable commencement celebrations in the history of the university, especially in the matter of attendance, for in addition to the large quota of graduates from Massachusetts, many hundreds were present from other States in the Union and points beyond.

The President came particularly to participate in the twenty-fifth anniversary of the class of '80, of which he is a member.

A feature of this year's commencement is to be the announcement of Bishop William Lawrence as president of the Harvard Alumni Association, as the result of plans to raise an endowment of \$2,500,000 for Harvard from the alumni. This announcement is to be made at the commencement dinner at Memorial Hall tomorrow afternoon, when the President is to deliver an address.

President Roosevelt has refused all military escort and invitations to engage in civic observances of any kind during his visit. Simplicity was to mark his entire course, while in Boston and Cambridge, and receptions of all kinds, except those in connection with his visit to Harvard were to be omitted.

MET BY BISHOP.

Today President Roosevelt was met at the Back Bay Station, this city, by Bishop Lawrence, who will act as the

# LABOR COUNCIL IN SESSION

COMMITTEES APPOINTED TO PREPARE FOR ANNUAL CELEBRATION.

At the meeting of the Central Labor Council last night final preparations were commenced for the celebration of Labor Day. A committee was appointed, consisting of the most important members of the council, to make arrangements for all the unions affiliated with the organization. On this body were W. E. Hill, J. F. Sale, Ben Litzstein, A. C. C. Kruger, William Nisbet, J. O'Brien, R. W. W. Perry, J. B. Rebell, P. C. Weber and W. Malden.

Andrew Moore and Joseph Hofer were at the meeting as delegates from the newly organized union of milkers. They were assigned to the Miscellaneous Trades Council, as the laws of the Central Council make it necessary that its delegates be first members of the former.

A report of the organization of the Milkmen's Union was made by the visitors. There are twenty-eight charter members and the local is in a flourishing condition. The Central Council and its officers assisted in forming it and have reason to be proud of their work.

In the report from the Miscellaneous Trades Council it was stated that the Laundry Workers' Union, No. 56, had decided to impose a fine of \$10 on any of their members convicted of eating at a non-union restaurant or hotel. This move is their struggle.

CHOOSE OFFICERS.

Members of the Cooke's and Walters' Alliance, No. 31, cast their ballots yesterday for their chosen officers. The following were elected: M. S. Mehin, president; George Oha, vice president; Basil Cleckach, second vice president; Frank Overton, secretary; Julius Dekermarck, treasurer; J. J. Millich, inspector; J. Savitch, inside guard; Sam Tanovich, outside guard; Perry Conwell and Herman Hollander, members of executive board; Charles Herkenham, Nick Jurash and Joseph Oden, trustees; P. C. Weber and Herman Hollander, delegates to the Central Labor Council; M. S. Mehin and George Fentiman, delegates to the Miscellaneous Trades Council; Herman Hol-

# WOMAN IS GIVEN POISON

This Man Suspected of Being Another Bluebeard.

ELGIN, Ill., June 27.—Arson is said to have been discovered in the stomach of Mrs. W. H. Duffree, whose death here has caused suspicion to rest upon her husband.

The internal organs are under chemical and microscopic examination, and the substance of a white powder which Duffree gave his wife is being investigated by the Elgin authorities. Meanwhile researches into Duffree's past are being made.

The story has many ramifications, including several previous marriages by Duffree. He is out on bail.

# WINS A FORTUNE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Mrs. Eliza Duffard, widow of the late Hypolite Duffard, won a final and complete victory in the Supreme Court yesterday in the contest over the \$2,500,000 estate left by her husband. The court affirmed the decision of the lower court, which completely knocked out all claims to the estate by Mrs. Thekla Duffard Kleinsch and Leonora Duffard, the brother and sister of the deceased Duffard.

Eliza Duffard's father died in 1855, leaving a small produce and commission business in this city valued at \$15,000. He died intestate and Eliza Duffard took up the business with the understanding that he would run it for the heirs at law. In 1878 it was worth \$100,000, and in 1900, when Duffard had grown through his thrift and industry to a value of \$2,500,000. From 1875 to the time of his death Duffard ran the business entirely in his own name, and it was claimed by his brother and sister that no accounting was ever had with them.

Mrs. Kleinsch and Leonora Duffard brought their action to obtain a decree that all property possessed by the deceased Duffard at the time of his death was the property of the estate of the deceased Duffard, and that the estate of the deceased Duffard was to be divided equally among the heirs at law. In the Superior Court, before Judge Sewall, they lost their case. The Supreme Court sustains this judgment. In the decision yesterday it was pointed out that the size of the big estate was almost entirely due to the business ability of one man, and that it is incredible, if the case of the plaintiffs was well founded, that they would not have put in their claims to Eliza Duffard while the latter was alive.

A second decision makes a final decree of distribution of land valued at \$150,000 in Santa Barbara to Mrs. Duffard.

# TOOK THEIR LIVES

PATERSON, N. J., June 27.—Unable to endure a long separation in the foreign service to which he was assigned, Henry Eichenrodt, bandmaster of the United States battleship Alabama, and his young wife, to whom he had been united less than a year, committed suicide.

Eichenrodt married Clara Tenzel of this city and their life was very happy. Although the bandmaster's duties often permitted him to visit his bride at long intervals. After the last cruise of the North Atlantic fleet he came home, and was to have rejoined his ship tonight, with the understanding that he would not again have shore leave before departing for the Asiatic station. The young couple were deeply depressed at their approaching separation.

Today friends gathered at his home to bid farewell to the bandmaster. In the midst of the festivities Eichenrodt and his wife left the party, and soon after were found dead in their bedroom, clasped in each other's arms. Examination showed that after turning on the gas both had swallowed carbolic acid.

Mrs. Eichenrodt was 26 years old and her husband 28.

# GROVER CLEVELAND IN CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, June 27.—Former President Grover Cleveland arrived from Buckingham Hotel and went direct to the conference with Justice Morgan, J. O'Brien and George Westinghouse, his fellow trustees of the majority stock in the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

# SECRETARY HAY GAINS IN STRENGTH.

Passes a Comfortable Night and Seems to Be Recovering Health.

NEWBURY, N. H., June 27.—The announcement today from the summer home of Secretary of State John Hay was that the patient had passed a comfortable night and that the morning found him resting quietly, much refreshed from the night's sleep. Although Mr. Hay's sleep was but intermittent, his repose resulted in the regaining of considerable strength. It was not believed, however, that the Secretary would be about as soon as had been anticipated.

The arrival of a nurse and a physician, Dr. Jackson, from Boston, during the night, was cause for belief that the Secretary would need the most careful nursing and medical attention during the coming days.

The family, however, does not apprehend any danger whatever from Mr. Hay's illness, but they realize that the attack of uremia of Thursday, following as it did, a period of illness for which Mr. Hay went abroad for treatment, weakened the Secretary's

# HIGH SCHOOLS HE SAYS HIS WIFE DISGRACED HIM AGAIN

PROFESSOR GAMBLE DEFENDS THE PRESENT COURSE OF STUDY.

Editor Tribune.—The TRIBUNE and other papers have of late been finding fault with the kind of work done in the High Schools, which (it is said) is arranged with a view to preparation for college rather than for life. It is unfair, you insist, to impose upon a large majority of those who do not look forward to a college career the course of work proper for those who do. High School work, you say, should be arranged with a view to serving the needs and life purposes of the great majority of students rather than the desires of a small minority? With this I agree; but what are the branches of study that will best serve these needs and purposes?

I enclose a list of the requirements for entrance at Berkeley, which (you will see) include some knowledge of the English language and its literature, elementary mathematics, physics, chemistry, zoology, botany, and drawing. Each student must be prepared in the group of these subjects to pass the college entrance examination. It is in view of these requirements that I am not preparing for college may select from this list any subjects they please.

And surely the list gives a pretty large range of choice for eighth grade pupils. It is an easy rate such subjects as are offered by all first-grade High Schools the world over. What new kind of High Schools would you have? What branches of learning, other than these, would you have? I shall defer discussion of this subject till I learn what you think the High Schools ought to do.

The charge that professors dictate to text-books, favoring the use of those prepared by themselves, is wholly without foundation. In the twelve years of my High School experience I have never received the slightest intimation from any professor in favor of either of his own or his colleagues' books. No only so, but of the works of other authors, one can hardly induce professors to recommend any book in preference to others. They will name a number of books; but the teacher must select for himself. All the professors look to it that the school work is rightly done. The principal of your own High School, all principals, all teachers, all trustees, will tell you the same thing. The much more from your point of view than that of the professors, is not my affair. Should you think best to reply to my question as to what you would have the schools teach? I will, with your permission, have more to say upon that momentous subject.

JOHN GAMBLE.

Haywards, June 26, 1905.

# SHE IS IN NEED

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—An affidavit by Mrs. Charlotte Eugenia Collins, the first wife of George D. Collins, the indicted attorney, was filed yesterday in the Superior Court in her suit for maintenance. She states that she has been served with a notice to vacate the family residence, Collins having refused to pay the rent. The youngest of their children, Harry, is in need of both food and clothing. Collins declines to provide for the child.

"He is residing openly in San Francisco with another woman," Mrs. Collins continues, "maintaining for this other woman a home and providing her not only with the necessities, but the luxuries of life."

The court is requested to order Collins to contribute at once to the plaintiff's support.

# IS POSTPONED.

KANSAS CITY, June 27.—At the request of Attorney-General Hadley argument in the United States District Court on the temporary injunction ordered restraining the Missouri State officials from enforcing the new maximum freight rate law was today postponed to July 8. Attorney-General Hadley said that he had been too busy with the Standard Oil ouster case to attend to other matters.

# A WIDOW'S LUCK

Quit the Thing That Was Slowly Killing Her.

A woman tells how coffee kept her from insuring her life:

"I suffered for many years chiefly from trouble with my heart, with severe nervous headaches and neuralgia; but although incapacitated at times for my house work, I did not realize the gravity of my condition until I was rejected for life insurance. I became a despairing physician said, 'my heart was so bad that he could not pass me. This distressed me very much, as I was a widow and had a child dependent upon me. It was to protect her future that I wanted to insure my life.'

"Fortunately for me, I happened to read an advertisement containing a testimonial from a man who had been afflicted in the same way that I was with heart trouble, and who was cured by leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee. I grasped at the hope, this held out, and made the change at once.

"My health began to improve immediately. The headaches and neuralgia disappeared, I gained in flesh, and my appetite came back to me at once. Greatest of all, my heart was strengthened from the beginning, and soon all the distressing symptoms passed away. No more waking up in the night with my heart trying to fly out of my mouth! Then I again made application for life insurance, and had no trouble in passing the medical examination.

"It was seven years ago that I began to use Postum Food Coffee, and I am using it still, and shall continue to do so, as I find it a guarantee of good health." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Michigan.

There's a reason.

Read the big little book "The Road to Wellville" in each package.

# ADMIRAL ALEXEFF CHOSEN?

Rumor Has it That He's to Be Foreign Minister.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 27.—The negotiations relative to the Washington meeting are going through their final phase.

Foreign Minister Lamsdorff has suddenly recovered today to go to Peterhof, where he discussed the negotiations with the Emperor. Later Ambassador Meyer was received at the chancellery and conveyed to the Foreign Minister a communication from Washington.

The Gazette today reports a rumor that Admiral Alexeff will succeed Count Lamsdorff as Foreign Minister.

# REWARD FOR A BRAVE GIRL

ASHEVILLE, N. C., June 27.—For saving the lives of a score of passengers and preventing a wreck by flagging the train, Nannie Gibson, 11 years old, has received a reward from the Southern Railway, and it is just what Nannie had said that she wanted most—an education. She has received a letter from the company agreeing to give her a college education and see that she is well provided for.

Nannie lives in a little hut with her father and mother in the Black mountains. A big slide occurred on the mountain while she was at home alone. She ran down the railroad track, waving her red petticoat. A heavy train was stopped by her, ten feet from where the mountains had caved. Below was an abyss several thousand feet deep.

# ROJESTVENSKY GETTING BETTER

TOKIO, June 27, (Noon).—Admiral Viscount Ito, chief of the Naval General Staff, has sent his aide to the Naval Hospital at Sasebo to visit Vice Admiral Rojostvensky.

Admiral Ito through his personal representative inquired into the condition of the Russian commander, expressed his regret over the suffering he had undergone and his admiration at the desperateness of the Russian defense.

Rojostvensky is progressing well and expressed his thanks to Admiral Ito for his inquiry.

# SHOT A SQUATTER

GOLDFIELD, Nev., June 27.—Mrs. Phoenix, the wife of a prominent Goldfield real estate man who owns all the land between Goldfield and Columbia, shot and killed a squatter on her land with a .35-caliber revolver. Mrs. Phoenix fired three shots, wounding Hayes twice, one shot going through the groin and one through the back.

Hayes had jumped a lot belonging to the Phoenix addition and refused to leave (claiming to have legal right to remain). Mrs. Phoenix, who is as big as an ordinary man, attempted to eject him and being unable to do so, resorted to arms. She then calmly walked down town, and when arrested was drinking an ice cream soda.

Mrs. Phoenix asked the sheriff to take a drink as he took her into custody. The owners of the Goldfield property have not secured a patent to their land and have been giving contracts calling for deeds when patents are obtained. There is as much trouble here as formerly over land titles. Mrs. Phoenix is held without bail as Hayes will probably die.

# Perforated Seats

For chairs at H. Schellhaas' corner store, Eleventh street.

50 Seats each. Less than \$100.00. See them at H. Schellhaas'.

"My Cakes are Dough"

Did not use Sperry's Flour.

Rainier Beer men are on a strike and Rainier Beer is boycotted out our sides are good and we are "delivering the goods."

Parlor Furniture.

Good second-hand, at H. Schellhaas'.

# KILAUEA AGAIN ACTIVE

Honolulu, May 7.—There is marked activity in the volcano of Kilauea. The flow of lava is moving upward. The flow in the crater gives indications that there may be an overflow. Reduced first-class ticket to Honolulu, Steamship Company, sailing July 2, 1905. Round trip. Full information, 655 Market street, San Francisco.

Campers' Cot Beds

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## The Lesson of Poland.

The distracted condition of unhappy Poland today is one of the results of the partition of that kingdom, which was perhaps the most cold-blooded piece of political infamy in the history of Europe. It is true that the Poles are a turbulent, mercurial race, restless in the extreme and prone to excitement and change, but they are also brave, industrious and artistic. And it must be admitted that for a long period prior to the partition, Poland had kept Eastern Europe in a turmoil. The kingdom was rent by feuds, and the elective system of choosing a monarch caused Poland to be the theater of jealous intrigues between all the reigning houses of Europe.

The attempt of the Swedish King to establish himself on the Polish throne at a time when Pomerania, Lithuania, Finland and Livonia were subject provinces of Sweden had created a haunting fear in Berlin and St. Petersburg. The danger that some ambitious scion of the Swedish or French royal line should ascend the throne of Poland and embark on a scheme of conquest was ever present in the minds of the statesmen of Prussia, Russia and Austria. Hence at the instigation of Frederick the Great the independence of Poland was destroyed and the country divided up between the conspirators. At the time Poland was so weakened by internal dissensions and protracted wars that she was unable to offer any effective resistance.

But the national spirit of the Poles has never been destroyed notwithstanding their enslavement. They have preserved their language and religion, cherished their race ideals and fostered their national literature in spite of rigorous persecution. Prussia tried in vain to make German-speaking Protestants of the inhabitants of Posen and Russia was equally unsuccessful in making Russ-speaking Greek Catholics of the inhabitants of the Grand Duchy of Warsaw. Austria has had less trouble with Galicia because she has not interfered with the language and religion of her Polish subjects.

In Russian Poland, however, the fires of Polish patriotism burned brightest and fiercest because in that unhappy land the most ruthless efforts were made to extirpate the Polish tongue, crush national spirit and root out the ancient faith of the people. Again and again has armed revolt reared its head only to be crushed with barbaric severity. Nevertheless, the courage, spirit and faith of the Poles have remained unshaken. They are battling against the mailed fist with bare hands, and a bloody sight it is. But the scenes of riot and horror in Warsaw and Lodz are only a hideous sequel to one hundred and fifty years of rapine and oppression.

## Perversion of the High Schools.

The Alameda Argus says "the very fact that so small a percentage of High School graduates enter the University tends to refute the assertion that the High Schools are a mere bridge from the grammar grades to the University." This is an inversion of the proposition under discussion, which the Argus undertakes to dispute by indirection. The complaint is that courses of study in the High Schools are prescribed by the faculty of the State University, and are prescribed as a preparation for a succeeding University course. Not one in ten High School students enter the University and only a small proportion ever propose to take a University course. It is the injustice of making the High Schools a mere preparatory adjunct of the State University that is objected to. Our Alameda contemporary argues that the small proportion of High School graduates entering is a proof that the objection is not well taken. It is conclusive proof that the complaint is well grounded. The entire system of teaching in the High Schools is designed to "accredit" the graduates to the State University. That is indisputable. Is this right or wrong? In view of the fact that only a small minority of High School students ever propose to take a University course, we say the system is wrong. It viciously subordinates the educational needs of the poorer many to the desires and convenience of the wealthier few.

The Zemstvos are finding out that the Czar's promises do not count for much so long as he leaves them to his bureaucrats to carry out. The bureaucrats in turn leave it to the Cossacks, who charge and shoot into crowds by way of showing what a good ruler the Little Father is.

It is a mistake to say that the Chicago teamsters have won nothing by their sympathetic strike. They have won the open shop and the chance to look for another job.

The efforts of the Stockton Independent to regulate the correspondence of THE TRIBUNE are appreciated. On the theory that the Independent should be good for something, we presume it has found its mission in being a regulator of the correspondence of journals that are newspapers.

Washington State has sent a commission down here to examine into the working of California railroad laws. We presume the people of Washington want to know what to avoid.

## Professor Gamble to the Rescue.

Professor John Gamble defends the present courses of study in the High Schools, in a communication which is printed elsewhere in today's TRIBUNE. As Mr. Gamble is principal of the Haywards High School, it is not surprising that he should be a champion of the existing system. It will be noted, however, that his defense of it is technical rather than a discussion of the principle involved; and in other respects is a flat denial instead of disproof of certain propositions. He also ascribes ignorance to the critics of the present method of teaching in the High Schools.

So much for the temper and character of Professor Gamble's defense. He admits that the courses of study are prescribed by the State University faculty as a preparation for a subsequent university course, but urges that this is not an unfair discrimination against the large majority because the High School student is permitted to select or reject any of the studies prescribed. This is begging the question. The point is that it is an injustice to prescribe a course of study mainly to prepare one out of ten or twelve High School students for college. It is no answer to say that all the students are not required to take all the studies prescribed. For that matter they are not required to go to High School even.

As to the community of interests established between text-book writers in the State University (and other universities) and school-book publishers, we shall have something to say hereafter in contradiction to what Professor Gamble says, but suffice it to say, trustees and High School principals find accrediting all the easier for adopting text-books by certain authors and printed by certain publishers.

Professor Gamble kindly suggests that if we do not approve the present course of study we should prescribe a better one. The suggestion is declined with thanks for the courtesy which prompted it. We are not prescribing courses of study for schools; that is the business of people who are paid to do it. But the suggestion tendered does not prove that a course of study prescribed as a preparation for college is the right one for students who do not intend to take a collegiate course.

Fresno is preparing to erect a handsome new City Hall of granite and pressed brick. In Oakland we are still talking about building a City Hall.

## INJUSTICE TO THE HIGH SCHOOLS.

The Herald has complained many times of the injustice of compelling the High Schools of the State to adapt their courses of study to the special requirements of entrance to the University of California when only a small percentage of High School pupils could hope to enter college, no matter how proficient they might become. We have always advocated for this class a well-rounded course similar to that offered by the small colleges which were found in all the larger rural communities prior to the establishment of Union High Schools, arguing that even a smattering in some of the subjects is preferable to no knowledge at all. This would leave the pupils aspiring to a college career to take a five years' course or secure private tutoring. The necessity for the five-year course is plainly apparent as only a small percentage of the students who matriculate are able to complete their course, hundreds dropping out yearly because of failure to reach the required standard for advancement to the higher classes or for graduation. The State University is by this method made a monster to students and teachers alike and is responsible for many blighted careers. It is high time that the taxpayers and patrons of High Schools were entering a vigorous protest against their High Schools being used as funnels having their only outlet in the State University, feeding a machine that is providing a veritable juggernaut for the youth of the State, leaving immediately behind mangled remains or further back among those who could not find their way through the spout, a vast number of half-baked, imperfectly educated young men and women to cope with the problems of the world with but scant preparation. This condition of affairs is felt keenly by High School principals and teachers, but they are powerless to prevent it. The people themselves must effect the change and it will prove a formidable task, as the University is very jealous of its so-called rights and University influence is strong in every department of State government, yet we owe it to the youth of the land to make a radical change in the manner of conducting our schools and colleges and save the thwarted ambitions and blighted lives that strew the pathway to and from the University of California.—Livermore Herald.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Cannibals and politicians live off other people.  
Our idea of a well-bred man is one who never boasts of his dough.  
Cupid's labor is one of love; that's why he can't afford to patronize a tailor.  
Many a girl has lost an engagement ring by washing her hands of a young man.  
Why is it that the average politician would rather avoid suspicion than inspire confidence?  
Did you ever console yourself with the thought that some people look happy because ignorance is bliss?  
However, the man who gets married on a Friday will at least have something to blame it on later in the game.  
Old shoes are thrown after a newly married couple merely as a reminder that it's up to them to acquire the art of dodging.—Chicago News.

## SOME PASSING JESTS.

"Were there any unusual or curious features connected with your escape from drowning?" inquired the reporter, whipping out his notebook.  
"Yes, sir," said the young woman. "I was not sinking for the third time when I was dragged out of the water. That, I think, is absolutely unique. I never heard of anything like it happening before.—Chicago Tribune.  
"Well, Emily, did you have a good time at the masked ball?"  
"Oh! I had the time of my life. I had got my husband to dress up as a knight in heavy armor, and he wasn't able to budge from one spot all night.—Fliegende Blaetter.  
Master Reginald (who has offered to show his cousin round London, to policeman)—I'm just showing a friend of mine some of the sights. We've had a ride on the tuppenny tube, and bought a ripping lot of picture postcards. Could you tell us if there is anything else worth seeing?—London Judy.  
Booking Clerk—Well, sir, what station do you want?  
Salubrious Old Party (indistinctly)—Not ser (hic) pertickler, ole feller (hic). What 'ave you got lef' (hic).—London Opinion.  
Mr. Lodger—Why do you always lock your door when you go out?  
Mr. Boarder—How do you know I always do?—Cleveland Leader.  
"My daughter bought that latest popular piece o' music today," said Mrs. Nixdore, "and she tried it on the piano."  
"Yes," replied Mrs. Pepprey, "and it was a wretched fit, wasn't it?"—Pittsburg Dispatch.

## HIS CHIEF DISTINCTION.

Bill Glubbs was a harmless son of a gun,  
But he had a magnificent beard.  
Nobody could point to a thing he'd done,  
But he had a magnificent beard.  
He nourished that beard with scrupulous care,  
He carefully brushed each separate hair,  
And strangers who saw it were wont to stare,  
And say, "What a magnificent beard!"  
He courted an heiress. He won the day—  
She adored a magnificent beard—  
And she fell in love at first sight, they say,  
Of his truly magnificent beard.  
And soon he was snugly settled in life,  
Secure from poverty's struggle and strife,  
With nothing to do but to please a wife  
Who adored a magnificent beard.  
This wasn't all. At a caucus one night,  
Where he flashed his magnificent beard,  
And party chiefs had locked horns in a fight,  
They observed this magnificent beard.  
They said, "There's a man who can beat those dubs  
As easy as turning a jack of clubs!"  
He's a power in politics now, is Glubbs,  
And his power all lies in his beard.  
—Cleveland Leader.

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## WHY DOCTORS FAIL AND MRS. PINKHAM SUCCEEDS

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She holds something back, loses her head, becomes agitated, forgets what she wants to say, and finally conceals what she ought to have told, and thus completely mystifies the doctor. It is any wonder, therefore, that the doctors fail to cure the disease? Still we cannot blame the doctor, for it is very embarrassing to suffer some of the symptoms of her distress, even to her family physician.

It was for this reason that years ago Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., determined to step in and help her sex. Having had considerable experience in treating female ills with her Vegetable Compound, she encouraged the women of America to write to her for advice in regard to their complaints, and being a woman, it was easy for her ailing sisters to pour into her ears every detail of their suffering.

In this way she was able to do for them what the physicians were unable to do, simply because she had the proper information to work upon, and from the little group of women who sought her advice years ago a great army of her fellow-beings are to-day constantly applying for advice and relief, and the fact that many thousands of them have been cured by following the advice of Mrs. Pinkham during the last year is indicative of the grand results which are produced by her unequalled experience and training.

No physician in the world has had such a training, or has such an amount of information at hand to assist in the treatment of all kinds of female ills, from the simplest local irritation to the most complicated womb diseases. This, therefore, is the reason why Mrs. Pinkham, in her laboratory at Lynn, Mass., is able to do more for the ailing women of America than the family physician. Any woman, therefore, is responsible for her own suffering who will not take the trouble to write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice.

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## AN EQUITABLE POLICY.

When you are cussed  
In terms succinct  
By angry foes  
Together linked;  
When you are stuck  
And don't know how  
To answer, just  
Say "Wow, wow, wow!"

It has a grand  
And cultured sound,  
A courtly grace,  
A wit profound;  
It calls to mind  
A lofty brow,  
And noble air,  
That "Wow, wow, wow!"

So let these words  
Sufficient be  
For eloquence  
And repartee;  
To prove—refute—  
Beat—silence—cow—  
Annihilate—  
Say "Wow, wow, wow!"  
—From the New York Sun.

## LABOR COST OF RAILROAD OPERATION.

Compensation paid to American Railway employees for the year ending June 30, 1903:

	Total	Per Cent to each Compensation Class
Trackmen	\$103,426,685	13.34
Laborers	\$4,208,290	10.86
Shopmen	\$4,133,168	10.84
Trainmen	\$6,221,636	8.54
Engineers	\$4,173,828	8.28
Stationmen	\$6,465,402	7.90
Conductors	\$9,392,587	5.15
Firemen	\$7,484,283	4.84
Carpenters	\$5,526,645	4.68
Machinists	\$3,414,954	4.31
General office clerks	\$9,466,272	3.93
Switch tenders, crossing tenders and watchmen	\$7,162,855	3.50
Section foremen	\$1,490,954	2.77
Station agents	\$1,011,724	2.71
Telegraph operators and dispatchers	\$9,922,487	2.58
General officers	\$2,244,121	1.71
Other officers	\$10,010,089	1.29
Employees—floating equipment	\$5,032,788	.65
(a) One road undistributed	\$18,000,000	2.32
Totals	\$778,321,415	100.00
(a) Report of Interstate Commerce Commission (statistics of railways), 1903, page 49, line 4.		

## SHE DIDN'T KNOW.

Because he smoked she called him weak.  
She whined because he didn't get a larger salary, or seek  
Some new employment; she would fret  
Because their neighbors crossed the sea  
Or lived in finer style than they.  
And yet she didn't know why he  
And night after night would steal away.  
She always met him at the door  
With woe depicted on his face;  
She rather thought the clothes he wore  
Were too expensive; through the place  
The music that she used to play,  
No more resounded; in despair  
She wondered why he stole away,  
Night after night, and left her there.  
—S. E. Klier.

## RED WING OWNS A THEATER.

(From the World Today for June.)  
The first practical step toward the establishment of an endowed theater in this country has been taken by the little town of Red Wing, Minn., boasting not more than \$3000 souls.  
The theater, which cost \$30,000, was the gift of the late Theodore B. Shel-

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don, a citizen of Red Wing, who had accumulated wealth by wise investments in real estate. On his death it was found that he had made a gift of a theater to his city. In the bequest it was stipulated that the new playhouse should not be used for gain, either private or public, but should be so managed as to become an educational factor in the community. There are no free admissions, and the citizens of Red Wing are expected to support the institution by paying the moderate charge of \$1 a seat.

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## SOCIETY'S REALM

### FRIENDS RECEIVE WEDDING CARDS

MISS GERTRUDE HIBBERD WILL WED THIS EVENING.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Hibberd and Edward R. Eliassen will be solemnized this evening at the home of the bride on Orange street. The Rev. Charles R. Brown will read the marriage service. The ceremony will be attended only by relatives, but an elaborate reception will follow, for which a large number of cards have been sent out.

The bride will wear a gown of white embroidered pina cloth, and will carry a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She will be attended by her sister, Miss Edith Hibberd, as maid of honor, gowned in pink dotted net over pink silk.

Five attendants, gowned in pink and white, will sing the "Lohengrin" wedding chorus. This group includes Miss Emily Fairchild, Mrs. Robert Armour, Miss Florence Eliassen, Mrs. Willis Collins and Miss Harriet Hugbings.

After an extended honeymoon Mr. Eliassen and his bride will take a cottage in Mill Valley for a few months and will take up their residence later in Oakland, where they will be at home to their friends after October 1.

#### ELABORATE AFFAIR.

The largest and most elaborate affair of the coming week will be the reception Friday evening, July 7, for Secretary Taft and his party, including Miss Alice Roosevelt, at which Mrs. Eleanor Martin will be hostess.

The hours are from 9 until 11 o'clock and plans for the elaborate affair insure one of the greatest social successes of the year.

Mrs. Martin's guests will include several hundred prominent society people. The hostess will be assisted in receiving her guests by Miss Roosevelt, Miss Boardman and the other ladies of the party, also by Mrs. Downey Harvey, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Henry T. Scott and several others.

#### AT COUNTRY HOME.

Mrs. Phoebe Hearst has returned from a two years' stay abroad, and is now at her country home, "El Verano," near Pleasanton.

#### VISITING PARENTS.

Dr. and Mrs. Grissim, who have been visiting Mrs. Grissim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, on Adelaine street, have returned to their home in San Jose, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Baker, who will remain a week.

#### THEATER PARTY.

Miss Albertine Detrick entertained a dozen little friends Saturday at a theater party.

Mrs. A. S. Macdonald and Miss Berenice Macdonald chaperoned the young people, who numbered Miss Ernestine McNear, Miss Helen Bertold, Miss Lucile Cook, Miss Elise Detrick, Miss

### DATES FOR THE SMART SET

MRS. ELEANOR MARTIN'S RECEPTION AND OTHER EVENTS.

Marion Stone and Miss Myra Macdonald.

#### GUEST OF HONOR.

Miss Leslie Green of Berkeley will be the complimented guest at a reception to be given by Mrs. Ralph Phelps Friday afternoon, July 7. The hours are from 3 until 6, and the informal affair will include about seventy-five guests, members of the younger set.

#### SOCIAL AFFAIR.

The members of the Baptist Young People's Union will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. L. Spears on Eighth street for a social and fancy dress affair.

Fun for the evening is being planned by Miss Edna Grant, chairman of the B. Y. P. U., assisted by Miss Jeanette Spears, Miss Esto Corwin, Miss Marion Chevre, Miss Burkholz, Harvey Lyon, Glen Johnson and John Peacemaker.

#### IN ENGLAND.

The marriage of James Oliver Curtis of Kingswood, Reigate, Surrey, to Miss Mary Sheppard of Betchworth was solemnized June 10 at St. Michael's Church at Betchworth, Surrey, England.

The bride was formerly an Oakland girl and has a large number of friends here.

#### MILITARY WEDDING.

The marriage of interest next Saturday, July 1, is that of Miss Allen Towle of Sacramento, formerly of Oakland, and Lieutenant Lowe McClure of the Fifteenth Infantry, U. S. A., stationed at Monterey.

The bride is the daughter of the late Orrin Towle, one of the well known men of the State, who founded the town of Towle, near Truckee.

The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. H. H. Stephenson, on M street, Sacramento. Lieutenant McClure and his bride will make their home at Monterey Barracks.

#### HOME WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Jennie M. Christoffersen and George C. Bowersmith took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents in East Oakland. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. C. H. Hobart in the presence of sixty guests. Miss Mabel Dixon attended the bride as maid of honor, and Fred Bowersmith was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowersmith have gone on a wedding trip to the southern part of the State, and on their return will make their home in this city.

#### TO PORTLAND.

Miss Ella Clark, who has been the guest of Miss Lavelle, accompanied



MISS MABEL FESSLER.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel Fessler of this city to J. Ralston Dyer of Sacramento. Miss Fessler is a member of Piedmont Parlor Native Daughters. She is a charming brunette and by her amiability has endeared herself to a host of friends. Mr. Dyer is a prominent young business man of Sacramento. The romance that will culminate in their wedding began in their college days. No date, as yet, has been set for the wedding, but it will take place in the very near future.

After a honeymoon the young couple will reside in Sacramento, where Mr. Dyer has already prepared a home.

by Miss Lavelle will leave June 29 for her home at Spokane. Miss Lavelle will visit the Fair at Portland and is planning a two-months' visit.

#### C. L. A. S. LUNCHEON.

The ladies of the C. L. A. S. will serve luncheon at the picnic July 4 at Idora Park, and a large number of visitors are expected, where a substantial and elaborate menu will be served from 11 o'clock in the morning until the last guest departs.

The president of the day will be Mrs. Thomas P. Hogan, secretary, Mrs. W. J. Barrett; treasurer, Mrs. J. J. McCarthy; and the managers include Mrs. J. T. Moran (chairman), assisted by Mrs. M. B. Brady, Mrs. J. F. Kelley, Mrs. James McManus, Mrs. J. J. Fenner, Mrs. J. McCleneghan, Miss Lynch, Miss E. McLaren, Mrs. J. T. Kelley, Mrs. J. S. Sheridan, Miss K. McVeer, Mrs. Shay, Mrs. P. Sweeney, and Miss Mary Lambert.

At the meeting last evening of the society, Mrs. J. J. McCarthy was presented by the board of directors with a handsome emblematic pin in appreciation of her work in securing the largest number of members during the past six months.

#### PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson are enjoying a stay at the Lyndon in Los Gatos.

Miss Maud Edith Pope leaves Saturday with a party of San Francisco friends for a three-weeks' visit to the Mendocino redwoods.

Miss Claire Chabot, with Miss Alice and Miss Ruth Knowles and Tom Knowles, will spend two weeks this summer at Tahoe.

Miss Edith Adams will leave Wednesday for London, where she will be joined by her father and together they will enjoy a several months' tour of the Continent, going later to South Africa.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Dow have gone to Seattle and will return by way of Portland, visiting the Fair.

Mrs. John D. Eby has been recalled to the East by the serious illness of her brother.

Mrs. Warren E. Rollins, Miss Ramona Rollins and Miss Ruth Rollins left yesterday for Portland, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Rollins' mother. Mr. Rollins returned a few days ago to resume painting and study among the Hopi Indians in Arizona.

W. F. Kelley has gone East on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Charles Adams will give up their home on this side of the bay for a month or two and will stay at the St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Flint, nee Oliver, have returned from their honeymoon trip and are staying at the Hotel Touraine.

Mrs. and Mrs. George D. Gray are making an extended visit in the East.

## CAN KEEP PRESENTS

KANSAS CITY, June 27.—Miss Irene Perkins, who was sued for the return of an engagement ring and other jewelry valued at \$800, given her by Harry Bullard, will be allowed to keep the ring. In Justice Buchanan's court, at Independence, a jury, after a deliberation of five minutes, decided that she was entitled to retain possession of any jewelry which might have been given her by the plaintiff.

Some time ago, according to the story told by Miss Perkins, she was approached by an attorney, who demanded that she return to Bullard a diamond ring and several articles of jewelry which he had given her in 1902. The engagement, in the meantime, had been declared off.

She refused to give up the valuables. Suit was instituted, and the trial at Independence resulted. The jury selected was composed of one bachelor and five married men. To these the attorneys put the question, "Are you prejudiced against women?" None of the married men made reply, but the bachelor made some answer which could not be plainly heard.

When Bullard was placed on the stand he declared that he had never meant that Miss Perkins should keep the jewelry. He said he had merely loaned it to her.

Miss Perkins, however, testified that the diamond was given her as an engagement ring. She said she was introduced to Bullard under the name of Harry Ghee. It was not until after they were engaged, she said, that he told her his real name, and that he was a married man. She said he was to secure a divorce from his wife, who was in New York, and that she was then to become his bride. He gave her \$50 with which to go to Butte, Mont., and met her in Salt Lake City on her return trip. While there she says he complained of being almost without funds, and she says she offered to give him the jewelry in order that he might sell it, but he refused the offer, saying he did not think it proper to give her anything and then take it away from her.

While on the stand telling her story Miss Perkins broke down and wept under the fire of cross questions from the plaintiff's attorney. The jury was plainly affected by her tears.

The court instructed the jury that an engagement between a married man and a young woman could not be binding so long as no divorce had been secured. The jury retired to return five minutes later with a verdict in favor of the defendant.

## PROBLEM WHICH PUZZLED MRS. ROOSEVELT HAS BEEN SOLVED TO HER SATISFACTION.

"I wanted the little boys to have a place where they can take off their shoes and wade in the creeks and run in the woods and play and shout at the top of their lungs, and no one around to criticize or publish to the world what bad children the President's are. This is impossible in Washington. As for myself, I am not averse to getting an opportunity of cooking a meal for my husband, just as I did in our early married days."—Mrs. Roosevelt in speaking of the new home.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt has at last solved the problem which has vexed her for many a long day. She has devised for herself a tiny home away from the eye of the crowd, near to nature's heart, where she can snatch a few days of absolute freedom whenever she wishes, where her children can have free rein.

This solitude is scarcely four hours from Washington, on the Midland railway, close to Charlottesville, and it is part of the fine farm, "Springfield," for many years the most cherished possession of William N. Wilmer of New York. This property cost the President's wife less than \$4,000, and it consists of fifteen acres of ground, nearly all covered by the forest, in which is set a cottage of six rooms, without any modern conveniences. This latter quality endeared it more than all the others to the mistress of the White House, and induced her to close the bargain.

Speaking of her new home, Mrs. Roosevelt said that she had been led to the purchase just to give her children the freedom which the small folks of the humblest parents can enjoy.

"I wanted the little boys to have a place where they can take off their shoes and wade in the creeks and run in the woods and play and shout at the top of their lungs, and no one around to criticize or publish to the world what bad children the President's are. This is impossible in Washington. As for myself, I am not averse to getting an opportunity of cooking a meal for my husband, just as I did in our early married days."—Mrs. Roosevelt in speaking of the new home.

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Mrs. Roosevelt has spent less than a thousand dollars in embellishing her retreat. She has caused the entire ground floor of the cottage to be thrown into one room and in the center there is a huge red brick fireplace. Over the mantel has been placed a medley of photographs of the President in his hunting togs, the children with their ponies and dogs, various members of the Roosevelt clan and their friends, all in negligence, as it were, and with particular reference to being exhibited in such an environment.

During the winter and the spring the mistress of the White House has been rummaging antique stores and curio shops, and the results of her labors are obvious to a visitor at the lodge, called "Plain Dealing." She has found odd-looking settees, quaint chairs of dark oak and walnut, and bits of tables and stools of a forgotten pattern. On the wide shelf which encircles the entire room are pieces of old ware.

The kitchen is only a part of the back porch, screened off with lattice and enshrouded in a tangle of Virginia creeper, clematis and morning-glory. A deal table, some pine chairs, shining pans, a few implements to

broil fish and chicken, some low, yellow bowls for milk and for the holding of fresh vegetables, and an old stove—these are the sole preparations for the housekeeping which Mrs. Roosevelt intends to do from time to time, until she leaves Washington for Oyster Bay, and again in the summer and fall until the snow flies.

Near the kitchen door is a well with its old oaken bucket and traditional surroundings, and from this the Chief Executive, like the good husband that he is, drew water for his faithful wife so she might make his coffee, boil eggs, and afterward "ready up" the dishes.

The sleeping rooms are three in number, but they make no provision for any room for a servant. Valet and maid, butler, footman, chef are left behind when the President and his wife go to Trianon. All the chambers are whitewashed, and the floors are white pine, scrubbed into a snowy sheen, and covered with a few rugs made by the girls in the Georgetown Art School.

The furniture is what is known as "Cottage," with the windows draped in pretty dimities, lace-edged, and the bureau and mantels draped in the same material. One of these rooms has three small iron beds for the three younger children, whom Mrs. Roosevelt had specially in view when she designed this hermitage.

## NO TROUBLES FOR MODERN BRIDEGROOMS

June, the month alike of roses and of brides, is almost at its wane.

For weeks dressmakers by the thousand have been making wedding gowns; whole regiments of prospective brides' fathers have been figuring up how much money they could afford to spend in wedding display; brigades of bridegrooms have been wondering how they were ever going to go through the ceremony with credit; armies of their friends, with fiendish ingenuity, have been devising new schemes for making the newly married couples uncomfortable and ridiculous on their wedding journey.

The "skimmition," known also as the "horning," and still otherwise as the "shivaree"—a post-nuptial serenade in which the prize went to the performer who could produce the most terrifying noises—by all odds the most diabolical of all the devices for the hazing of newly married pairs—has gone out almost completely except in regions remotely rural. Even in the back country it doesn't flourish as it did forty years ago, and you may find plenty of fifty-year-olds, nowadays, even among the farmers, who never heard such a devilish concert of discordant sounds as used to be prepared for the discomfort of the freshly wedded in Riker's Hollow, N. Y., and elsewhere in the sixties and seventies.

The skimmition rarely was held till after the bride and groom had settled down in their own home, and so never preceded the wedding journey, as do the bridegroom-baiting tricks of today.

#### GATHERING UP THE DINNER HORNS.

"We used to set great store by the skimmition when I was a youngster," said a bald-headed, goat-bearded veteran the other day; "but the times ain't what they used to be. Why, my grandsons wouldn't no more have the nerve to help horn a couple than anything. My oldest son—he's past fifty, too—never went to more than one or two such entertainments, but shucks! we didn't let no couple get away without one, where I lived, when I was young."

"Come to think of it, I wouldn't really like to countenance an old-fashioned 'horning' myself in these days; I'll have to admit that they were what I suppose you'd call a little too primitive."

"When we got ready to organize a first class horning party we first took stock and found out how many horns we could muster. Now, horns was horns, then times. You couldn't go out and buy a horn for fifteen cents most anywhere, as you can in this here twentieth century. No, sir; we had to gather up our mothers' dinner horns mostly, and, of course, we had to sneak 'em out of the house on the quiet, in order to get 'em. Every one of our fathers had helped at horning parties when they were young, no doubt, but mighty few of 'em were willing their sons should follow in their footsteps."

#### THE AWFUL "SHIVAREE" FIDDLE.

"Well, maybe we'd get five or six horns in a horning party of, say, fifty. Next to horns, big dinner bells were good noise-making tools. A couple of old anvils and three or four pounds of powder had their usefulness, too,

and likewise 'clappers,' made out of pieces of light board, with handles whittled on one end, so's they could be clapped together—all them came in handy. Horning parties always were held in the evening, of course, the exercises generally beginning soon after dark.

"Whistles, if they were big ones, were all right, too, and there were some other things, like old tin dish-pans, to beat upon with sticks, but the best thing of all was the rosined plank—mebbe you ought to call it a shivaree fiddle."

"Never heard the noise a rosined plank makes, did you? Wal, you wouldn't want to hear it again if you had. To work it just right, there ought to be a length or two of extra good board fence handy. To make sure that nothing wouldn't give way, we used to drive a few more nails into the boards where they was fastened onto the fence posts. When we felt reasonably sure the fence would stand the strain, we would put some rosin on the top edge of the second board."

"Then we'd take a two-inch plank and rosin one side of it well, and then we'd draw the plank across the top edge of the fence board, same as if it was a fiddle-bow. And say! when that performance began there was 'something doing,' as my grandson says whenever he is talking about any sort of deviltry."

#### CALVIN ERASTUS AND NANCY MARIA.

"Why, when Calvin Erastus Riker and Nancy Maria Brink got married at Riker's Hollow the boys took a rosined plank to the horning and it made a noise you could hear clear to the top of Brink Hill, and that was more'n than three miles away. Say, it sounded powerful loud, I tell you."

"Calvin had made his boasts he wouldn't pay, no 'tention to no morning concert, no matter how much of a racket the boys made, but he couldn't stand it more'n five minutes after they got the old plank working. He just naturally opened the door then and told the boys to come along and be treated. He tapped a barrel of cider and he brung up big pans full of doughnuts, and besides, he opened two boxes of real cigars."

"Say, he was all right; not much

like Silas Mason. He and his bride were horned two or three weeks later, and Silas got so mad about it that he loaded up his shotgun with rock-salt and fired right into the crowd. Silas didn't mean to hurt anybody, of course, but he filled one fellow's eyes with salt, and he e'en a'most lost his sight. Silas never was popular in the Holler after that, and that was one reason why he up stakes and moved West a year or two later."

#### NEWLY WEDS' ANNOYANCES.

It's a toss-up whether such post-nuptial serenades as these or the elaborate and diversified annoyances nowadays devised to give variety to an otherwise beautiful and harmonious wedding journey are the more reprehensible. Doubtless this year's June bridegroom, never having gone through one, would prefer the skimmition to the rice, white ribbons and hand-kerchiefs now so often pressed into service at the beginning of the journey, but that is because he has no real notion of what an awful thing a sure-enough skimmition is.

## WOMAN DIES AT DANCE

NEW YORK, June 27.—Surrounded by groups of friends, men and women, with the echo of dance music still ringing in their ears, Mrs. James Kirwin has suddenly expired in the ballroom of an Ulmer Park pavilion.

The woman was 55 years old. She was attacked by apoplexy in the midst of a dance at an old-fashioned barbecue given by a church society.

A priest hastened to her side and administered the last rites of the church, while the frightened dancers gathered about with wraps and shawls tried to make the dying woman's last moments comfortable.

The tragic scene quickly put an end to the festivities.

Many a man has been driven to drink because his wife didn't refuse him.—Staunton, Va., Leader.

## RACE SUICIDE AND TITLED MARRIAGES.

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LONDON, June 27.—A writer in the Contemporary Review has made an interesting discovery.

He finds that the failure of motherhood among American helresses who have married titled Englishmen is most marked, while the influence of colonial women on English society is not only more wholesome, but likely to be more permanent.

In his opinion, colonial influence in England is masculine, vigorous and wholesome. American influence is feminine, frivolous and fleeting.

He offers some striking remarks concerning the invasion of England by American helresses:

"Since 1840 thirty (British) peers or eldest sons of peers have married in the United States. Of these thirteen have no children at all, five have no sons, and five have only one son. The total number of peers' children with American mothers is thirty-nine, of

whom eighteen are sons. "During the same period twenty-three peers or eldest sons of peers have married in the Colonies. Four have no children, seven have one son, eight have two sons and two have three sons.

"That is to say, though the number of colonial peereesses is seven less than the number of American peereesses, they have nearly twice as many children, and while six of them have neglected to present their husbands with heirs, nineteen Americans are guilty of the same neglect."

In the lower ranks of the aristocracy, the writer proceeds, the figures "are even more startling." Of Americans who are the wives of Englishmen with a courtesy title or baronetcy, there are forty-four. "Of these seventeen, or nearly half, have no children, and eight have only one child."

"It therefore comes to this, that since 1840 the number of titled Americans, exclusive of knights' wives, has risen to seventy-four, of whom thirty are childless and fourteen have but one child."

Moreover, there is not a single distinguished peer's son with an American mother, whereas there are several with colonial mothers.

"In face of these figures, the contention that by means of American brides' fresh vigor may be imported into the British aristocracy is merely ridiculous," concludes the writer.



THE OLD WORLD IS QUAKING

There is no feeling of security among any of its older nations. The Emperor William, the Premier of France, the King of England and the Sultan of Morocco are engaged in one grand plot with little Alfonso as one of the sideshows. Each feels insecure and each is looking around to secure the strongest allies in the event of a general rumpus.

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REV. JONES ON LIVERMORE CLASS FAITH GIVES DANCE

PASTOR OF THE UNITARIAN CHURCH DELIVERS INTERESTING SERMON.

Rev. Dr. Wm. M. Jones of the Unitarian Church preached a sermon Sunday on "Faith and Credulity." He said:

The objects of faith are the unseen and spiritual things such as the being and nature of God, His spiritual relation to us and the continuance and estate of the souls of men after death. Whether a belief is properly classed as an item of religious faith, is easily determined by inquiring if it relates to things that are spiritual, or to things within the domain of nature and human life—whether the thing believed may now be known as actual or at any time might have been known as actual by the ordinary processes of acquiring knowledge or whether it is and must always have been beyond the power of man to know.

"Very much of what is called religious faith is not faith at all, and has as little vital connection with religion as it has with mathematics or music. In supposed zeal for the true faith men have hated and slain their fellows because of differences of belief about things which however interesting or important as matters of physics or history are insignificant in religion."

FAITH AND OPINION.

"To believe for instance that Jesus established a church and delegated to it peculiar powers and prerogatives and that the Roman church or the Greek church or the Anglican, or the Baptist, is the true church, is not a part of faith. The fact may be determined by an examination of the history of Christianity. When one has thus inquired into the claims of any age of men, and has found that it is the church of Christ, his belief is not faith but is merely an historic opinion. If one believes without such examination—that is credulity."

The proposition that baptism and the eucharist have power to change men's moral natures is not a matter of faith. If it is true its truth can be known by experiment. Inner change is made manifest in conduct, which can be examined, critically. Let a man contrast the conduct of persons who have been baptized and have eaten the consecrated food with the conduct of persons who have not. If he finds a difference in the moral course of the two, he may rationally believe the doctrine. If he believes without such examination—that is credulity.

THE MIRACLES.

"Belief in the miracles recorded in the Bible is no part of religious faith. The records are parts of history and subject to critical study. If by such study one is convinced that these were actual events as his merely gained belief in olden times. If he is not convinced of their verity, he has not failed of anything essential to faith. Some men who believe them as truly as they believe the testimony of their own sight of the happenings of every day are without faith in God. Some men have most exalted and joyous faith in God and cherish the hope of immortality with confidence but do not believe them at all. Even the stories that Jesus was born without a human father and that he rose from the dead and walked with his disciples and then ascended into heaven body and all are not of religious importance. If they could be verified they would be tremendously important to the biologist as showing an unique way of physical birth and death. But of themselves they add nothing to the Christian faith in God's fatherhood nor to the expectation of everlasting life for men who live in the ordinary way and whose bodies return to earth when life ceases."

True faith is never credulous. Though its objects are the things of the spirit, it is rather the state of opinion—an intense degree of conviction—when a man rationally concludes to be true and right—from his own sight of the manifestations of God in nature and his own state of opinion—life—strikes through and through his mind so as to be constantly present in his consciousness and to sway his conduct and to beat in every pulse of his feeling then he has faith. Only then.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL PUPILS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS—MILITIA WILL PARADE.

LIVERMORE June 27.—The graduating class of the Livermore Grammar School gave a dance last Saturday night at the Sweeney Opera House. The dance was given in lieu of the usual closing exercises and was well attended. The music furnished by the Livermore orchestra was exceptionally good. This class is one of the largest that have been graduated from the grammar school and their untiring efforts made the affair both socially and financially successful.

ATTEND PICNIC.—The local ball team met defeat Sunday in a game played at Tracy. The Tracy team won by a score of 4 to 3. A return game will be played next Sunday on the Livermore grounds and the local players expect to redeem themselves.

A large delegation of Druids and their friends attended the picnic held last Sunday at Fernbrook Park in Niles canyon. The military company has accepted an invitation to participate in the parade in Oakland on the fourth of July.

CAMP BUCCY.—A party of Livermore residents went to Camp Buccy for a few days' outing last week. Those who went were Mr. and Mrs. D. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. McKown, W. H. Wright of this place, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fisher, Harry Galloway and Eugene of Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Joy of San Francisco.

PERSONALS.—R. Nissen of Palo Alto is home on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Horton of Oakland spent Sunday in this place.

Mr. L. J. McDonald of San Francisco visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. J. Curran of San Francisco paid a visit last week to relatives and friends.

James Gallagher, Jr., son of James Gallagher, who was successfully operated upon for appendicitis at the Alameda Sanitarium last Saturday afternoon and at which reports were well on the way to recovery.

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# BASEBALL SPORT GOSSIP BOXING

## LOCAL LADS SIGN TO FIGHT

Two Oakland boys will compete in the Colma Club's show next Friday evening. They are Johnny Demsey, the crack 124-pounder, and Walterweight George Brown of the West Oakland Club.

Demsey's career the past few months shows one continuous set of victories, until he met Johnny Crowe, who gained a decision over him in four rounds—all the amateur rules would permit.

Demsey turned professional on the 17th and was matched to box Northside Jack O'Brien, one of the amateur cracks around San Francisco. O'Brien met with an injury this day of the contest and Joe Riley, a lightweight, was substituted.

Although Riley outweighed Demsey fully ten pounds, the Oakland boy handily gained the decision at the end of ten rounds, after flooring his man four times during the bout.

He will meet his former opponent, Johnny Crowe, on Friday night. Demsey is a fighter pure and simple and expects to turn the tables on Crowe in a bout lasting twenty rounds.

George Brown is matched with Warren Zurburck of Buffalo, Zurburck comes West with quite a record and displays a win from Frank Erns to gain him favor. Brown is a terrific puncher and has won nineteen fights by knockouts, losing only one, to Rube Smith of Denver. Billy Roche will referee both bouts.

The Colma Club made a decided hit at its last entertainment. All the boys papers listed in commending the club for returning patrons to San Francisco shortly after 11 p. m. The Colma Pavilion was well lighted and spectators had no difficulty getting their seats.

The club will provide a special train from Third and Townsend streets, starting at 7:45, and electric cars will run along Mission street every few minutes after 7:15 p. m. Quite a number of Oaklanders are expected to attend on account of two fellow townsmen being principals. Those going from this side will easily be able to make the 11:45 boat upon returning.

## TEMESCAL HAS ONE EASY TIME

The Temescal baseball team journeyed to Lafayette Sunday and played the baseball team of that place and won by a score of 12 to 4.

The city boys had no trouble to score and had the country boys at their mercy. Notwithstanding they were short three of their best players they easily won. The Lafayette team hit the ball, but failed to connect at opportune times. The score and lineup are as follows:

TEMESCAL	AB	BH	SB	PO	A	E
Knuth, c. f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Barbagelata, s.	5	2	0	3	3	1
Estudillo, c.	5	1	1	1	2	1
Kodgers, 2b.	5	2	2	0	3	2
Gravel, 1b.	5	2	4	0	12	0
Lynch, 3b.	5	1	0	0	2	1
Joseph, r. f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
James, c. f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Weber, p.	5	1	0	0	0	0

Totals.....45 12 14 2 27 16 8

LAFAYETTE.

Atwater, c.....	5	1	1	0	7	2	2
Mendoza, r. f....	4	0	2	0	1	0	0
A. Herrera, s....	4	1	2	0	0	2	6
Near, 3b.....	4	2	3	0	0	3	1
H. Daley, p.....	4	0	2	0	0	5	0
Lamp, 1b.....	4	0	0	0	12	0	1
		—	—	—	—	—	—
		12	4	12	1	27	15

Totals.....40 4 12 1 27 15 8

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Temescal.....	2	3	1	0	0	4	0	12
Lafayette.....	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	4

Two-base hits—Gravel (2), Atwater, B. Herrera. Base on balls—Off Weber 2, off H. Daley 3. Struck out by Weber 5, by H. Daley 7. Hit by pitcher—Lynch (2), Knuth. Passed balls—Atwater (2). Time of game—3 hours. Umpire—R. Bridges. Score—W. D. Bohan.

## ORGANIZE NEW BASEBALL TEAM

The Libby baseball team has organized a new team called "The Olympians." The new team won its first game Sunday morning on the Thirty-seventh and West street grounds by defeating a team with the score of 21 to 9. The Olympians play the Eagles of San Francisco next Sunday at Golden Gate Park.

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## PREPARE FOR DAY ON LAKE

Al. Kihn, president of the Alameda Boat Club, has arranged for the Fourth of July regatta to be held on Lake Merritt on that day. Mr. Kihn has assured the writer that he will have the races started promptly on time and that there will be no waits between races to drag the sport along. He has appointed Messrs. Hunt and Shay of the Alameda Club to row along the course in outrigger skiffs and keep the outside boats clear of the contestants. In fact, Mr. Kihn says that with the assistance he will have from other clubs as well as the Alameda Club, that everything points to this being the most successful regatta held on the coast.

Captain E. B. Thorning is more than confident that his club will carry off the majority of the prizes, as he says that there is more harmony and enthusiasm among the members than ever before. George "Skipper" Lewis is coaching the teams and there is no more enthusiastic oarsman in California than the "Skipper," and what he doesn't know about rowing and boats is not worth knowing. It is said by the members of the club that he directs the movements of the crews with even more skill than the great Toga does the Japanese battleships.

The senior barge will this year, with the exception of E. B. Thorning, be the crew that made all the boats aware of the "Skipper" Lewis. In Thorning's place will be "Billy" Burnham, better known as "Hook," Burnham is not a weak man by any means and will strengthen the team, if anything. The crew will have the following: Billy Burnham, four; The crew will have the following: Intermediate barge—H. Nelson, stroke; W. Peterson, two; M. Ryan, three; G. Tupper, four.

Junior barge—Hackley, stroke; Nelson, two; Reddick, three; Postel, four.

The club expects great things from the men to row in the skiff events. E. B. Thorning, who rows in the senior event, is in the form and says he will give a good account of himself.

George Quinzow, according to the club members, has as good as won his race. The crew that have in him to win is so great that they are already congratulating him. The club will also have eight boats, beautifully decorated, entered in the water parade to be held at Alameda in the evening and expect to also carry off the prizes. There is nothing small about the Boat Club.

## OLYMPIC ARMS TEAM HARD TO BEAT

The Olympic Arms Company baseball team (composed of members of the Hawthorne Athletic Club) easily defeated the San Rafael Lithos on San Rafael Sunday by a score of 10 to 4.

The features of the game were the pitching of Kory and the batting of McCarthy and Rindan of the Olympic Arms. Johnson at first base played an errorless game.

The Olympic Arms team will play Salinas next Sunday at Salinas. The Olympic Arms Company team would like to hear from any amateur team on the Pacific Coast, country teams preferred. Address all challenges to Al Young, manager, care Hawthorne Athletic Club, 224 Potrero avenue, San Francisco.

## NATIONAL NINE LOSE THIS GAME

The Old Leaguers defeated the National last Sunday by the one-sided score of 14 to 2. The features of the game were the batting and fielding of the winners and the pitching of Jenkins, who allowed but three scattered hits and struck out twelve men.

The Old Leaguers would like to play any team averaging 17 or 18 years. The line-up is as follows: Pitchers, F. Jenkins and F. O'Connell; catcher, F. Blodgett; first base, E. Whalen; second base, F. Mills; third base, O. Conger; shortstop, T. Fitzsimmons; left field, T. Clark; center field, H. Patterson; right field, H. Ketchum.

All challenges should be addressed to T. Fitzsimmons, 971 West street, Oakland.

## CORBETT MAY FIGHT ABE ATTELL

NEW YORK, June 27.—Abe Attehl and Young Corbett will probably be matched to fight six rounds in Philadelphia. Corbett has changed his mind about staying out of the ring until September and has gone over to the Quaker City with his manager to try to secure the ball park for an afternoon's pugilistic carnival. If he is successful a match will be made at once for the fight to take place on some afternoon in the near future.

"Corbett agreed to fight me," said Abe Attehl, "on condition that I give him a side bet. That was exactly what was looking for and the match is as good as made if we can get the grounds in Philadelphia."

## JEFF. BREAKS FISHING RECORD

AVAILON, June 27.—Jim Jeffries kept his word yesterday and broke the season's record for yellowtail recently, bringing fourteen extra large ones. Luke Kelly was with him in the Anasoot, Captain Washburn, boatman. They also took thirty-eight big rock bass, the latter striking at diving fish, while were used for bait. They state that one of the rock bass was caught on a hook baited with a flying fish that was larger than the bass.

"Rainier Beer" men made demands—refused arbitration and declared a boycott, a course of events in direct opposition to every American's sense of justice. No need to suggest to you to drink Rainier Beer.

## "STUNTS" AT RELIANCE CLUB

Over 1,000 invitations have been sent out by Superintendent Percival of the Reliance Athletic Club for the ladies' night entertainment to be given in the club gymnasium next Thursday evening, June 28th, and if the public takes advantage of the opportunity to witness an excellent program as it did on the last ladies' night, the spacious gymnasium will be crowded.

An impromptu, but perfectly serviceable, stage is to be erected at one end of the apartment and the place will be fitted up in comfortable style. Superintendent Percival, aided by Emil Frisch, fencing instructor and one of the leading spirits of the club, has provided a program that looks very attractive on paper and doubtless will prove just as enjoyable as it looks.

Included among the good things arranged for will be a battle royal by nine or ten boys from the boxing class, roller races on what is known as a "one trailer" by members of the Oakland Wheelmen for a trophy given by Paul Carroll, acrobatic pyramid under the direction of Physical Director Otto Rittler, boxer swinging, fencing, selections by the Reliance Club male quartet, monologue by H. C. Krieger, German comedian; living statue poses, solo by Frank Wilson, comedian acrobatic turn by Writtle Brothers, a Roman gladiator act, selections by the Reliance Mandolin and Guitar Trio and by the Reliance Club Orchestra.

Those who are to take part are spending many moments practicing for their "stunts" and it looks as though those who are able to gain admittance would be given an evening long to be remembered.

## DUMB PITCHER "INSULTS" UMPIRE

CINCINNATI, June 27.—The baseball rioters in this town who have been beguiling the tedious hours by playing floating beer mugs at the heads of the New York Nations, have found a new diversion. "Dummy" Taylor, the deaf and dumb pitcher of the giants, supplied it, and put his whole heart and hand into the work.

There had been a particularly hot mix-up of plays which kept Umpire "Hank" O'Day trotting hither and thither. "Dummy" Taylor, who is usually with ball-players, "Mr. Umpire, I humbly opine that in this instance your usually keen and accurate judgment is unintentionally at fault."

So Mr. Taylor fell back upon his digits. He strode angrily toward O'Day, and the grandstand observed a lightning movement of the hands. Mystic symbols, followed by a series of "H" and "O" signs, were thrown toward the umpire. O'Day, too, strode forward and majestically waved Mr. Taylor from the field. Still frantically making rotary movements around his head, the pitcher disappeared in the dim vista—still grating his hands.

"Why did you put him out of the game?" he demanded the official kicker of the giants, hotly.

O'Day, unimpaired of the evident facts, retorted with even more vehemence.

"Back! Why, he said I had wheels in my head!"

## KID SULLIVAN HAS ARRIVED HERE

Accompanied by his manager, Al. Herford, "Kid" Sullivan, who will probably be Jimmy Britt's next opponent, arrived on the overland last night and proceeded directly to San Francisco. Sullivan looks like a smaller edition of the late lamented Tom Sharkey, and depends greatly upon his rushing and mixing abilities to win.

Britt will have an advantage over Sullivan in probably everything except chest meat.

Sullivan jumped into prominence about a year ago when he fought a draw with Herford. He also has to his credit a six-round contest with Corbett. Manager Herford will meet Sullivan today to perfect final arrangements for the battle between Jimmy Britt and "Kid" Sullivan. According to present calculations, the fight is slated for the night of July 16. At present there is little hitch in regard to weight. Britt will demand 13 pounds at 6 o'clock. Herford will contend for 135 at 6 o'clock.

Sullivan is temporarily out of the city with a bad arm, did not come out with Herford and Sullivan, but will reach San Francisco week before the battle to coach the Washingtonian.

## MAY SUTTON DRAWS HER OPPONENT

LONDON, June 27.—The lawn tennis championship tournament which opened yesterday at The All-England Club, was continued today.

In the singles, third round, B. C. Wright of Boston, beat E. G. Farnon, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

William J. Clothier of Philadelphia, beat R. B. Hough—6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

W. H. Larned of Chummit, N. J., beat O. J. Ormecham, 6-3, 6-3, 6-3.

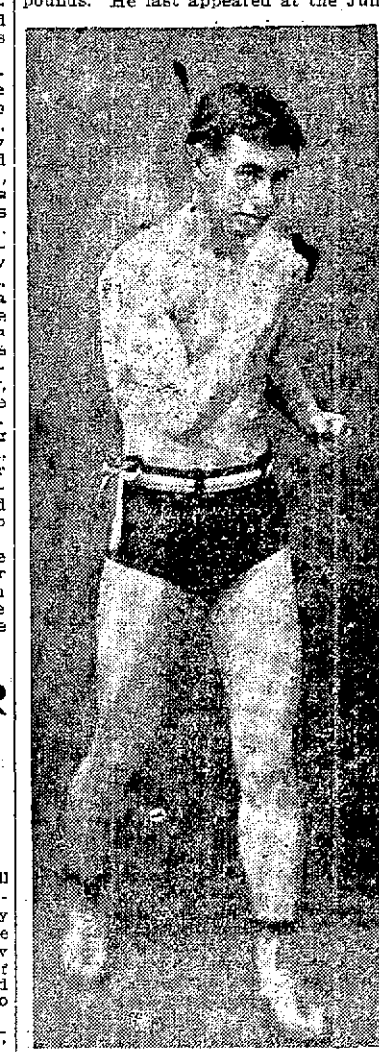
Miss May Sutton of Pasadena, Cal., has drawn against Miss Meyer in the first round of the ladies' championship contest which begins tomorrow.

## JAMES L. HERRON DIES IN ALAMEDA

ALAMEDA, June 27.—James L. Herron died last night at the Alameda Hotel after an illness of several weeks with typhoid pneumonia.

## LOREN BROWN WANTS A FIGHT

Loren Brown of the Reliance Athletic Club issues a sweeping challenge to fight any amateur in the featherweight division on the Pacific Coast. Brown enters the ring weighing 123 pounds. He last appeared at the June



LOREN BROWN, who challenges any amateur in the featherweight class.

show of the West Oakland Club, when he fought "Kid" Francks to a draw.

Brown is not making a howl over that decision, and he says that he is satisfied to allow those who were present to judge whether or not he outpointed his opponent.

Brown does his training at the Reliance Club, and is tutored in the boxing game by the club's competent corps of instructors.

Any boxer in the amateur featherweight class desiring a battle with Brown should communicate with Loren Brown, Reliance Athletic Club, Oakland.

## FIGHT CARDED FOR VALLEJO TONIGHT

VALLEJO, June 27.—Spider Joe Welch of San Francisco and "Fighting Dick" Green of Chicago will fight twenty rounds before the Palm Athletic Club at the pavilion tonight. Welch looks 50 per cent better than he did when he fought George Herbert in this city in April and says he will take back his old job of baking pies in the Mission if he loses tonight. Green has little to say, but seems to be confident of winning.

The weight is 135 pounds at 6 o'clock, which is of considerable advantage to the Chicago man. Green's last fight was in St. Louis nearly a year ago, when he lost to Jack O'Keefe after fifteen rounds.

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When in Colorado, South America, I first noticed that in some way my kidneys were not performing their functions properly and aching across the loins ensued. Since then other attacks have occurred and I was suffering from one when I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised in our Oakland papers and procured a box. If the first had not helped me I never would have bought a second, and if the second had not brought greater relief I never would have continued the treatment. You can say for me that Doan's Kidney Pills can be depended upon to do exactly as stated.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## FAST STEAL OF BASES WINS

SAN LEANDRO, June 27.—In one of the hottest games of the season the local nine of ball tossers defeated the Gormans of San Francisco last Sunday. The score was 6 to 3.

At the beginning of the eighth inning the excitement was intense. With two out and the score a tie, Treckal knocked an easy grounder. It was caught and thrown to second base to head off C. Pingree, San Leandro's third baseman.

He managed to arrive just a second ahead, however, and Wayland got to first by a slide. While the ball was being thrown to first to catch the batter, Pingree made a daring rush for third base. He made it by the skin of his teeth, and the batter, Wayland, stole second at the same time.

Immediately the ball was sent from third to second to head Wayland off, and then Pingree did one of the most remarkable things ever seen on the diamond. He started for home as the ball left the hands of the third baseman, and got in safe after taking a slide of fifteen feet.

Wayland also got to third as the ball went to the plate.

The next batter was fanned out and Wayland died on his base.

With the remarkable series of base stealings was being made the crowd stood up on the benches and yelled.

No error was made by the visitors during the play, and the success of the grand stand act must be attributed to the marvelous quickness of the runners. The batteries were Lowe and Dwyer for the Gormans and "Lefty" O'Banion and Buckley for San Leandro.

## JACK JOHNSON HAS MUNROE GROGGY

PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—Jack Johnson, the negro heavyweight, and Jack Munroe, the miner pugilist, fought six fierce rounds here last night before the National Athletic Club. Johnson had all the best of the fight and would have received the decision had one been rendered.

Munroe was slow and awkward, but his willingness to mix it and his gameness prevented the negro from putting him out.

In the fifth round Johnson tried hard to score a knockout, but, although he had the miner groggy, the man from Butte stuck out the round gamely.

Munroe was tired the finish, but he was willing to mix it at every turn and was there at the going. In the final round Johnson cut a deep gash over Munroe's left eye by landing a terrific swing.

## SHERIFF SAYS: STOP ALL BETTING

ST. LOUIS, June 27.—In view of the fact that following the single arrest made yesterday at Delmar race track all operations in the betting ring were suspended, word comes that Sheriff Folk will not call out an armed force to assist in enforcing the anti-betting law.

He stated that he would not only make arrests every day but would "stop the betting entirely" until the courts have passed upon the cases now before them.

## SPECIAL GUARD AT EVERY SWITCH

NEW YORK, June 27.—Of all the fast railway trains in the world, none will be operated with greater precaution than will the Twentieth Century Limited over the New York Central and Lake Shore systems between this city and Chicago.

In resuming the eighteen-hour schedule between the two points, the officials of the roads determined that such care should be taken as to render practically impossible a repetition of the disaster that befell the flier at Mentor, Ohio.

This plan has been in contemplation for some time. The great saving in time made by the flier is due to the fact that the switch there will be under this special guard. On no pretext will the guard be permitted to leave the switch for an instant during that time. If the flier behind time the guard must stand by the switch until it shall have passed.

This plan went into effect today over the entire system from New York to Chicago. The special switch guard has not yet been organized, but men have been taken from the Oakland and Clark Express along the line temporarily to act in this capacity.

## FASTER TRAINS FOR PORTLAND

PORTLAND, June 27.—General Manager J. P. O'Brien has determined to reduce the running time of Southern Pacific trains between San Francisco and Portland to twenty-seven hours, nine hours less than the present service between the two points. This great saving in time will be accomplished by adding another train to the run, thereby avoiding lengthy stops along the route.

This plan has been in contemplation for a long time, but the heavy travel between San Francisco and Portland resulting from the Lewis and Clark Exposition has necessitated immediate improvement in the service. The new schedule will, it is said, go into effect shortly.

## GEORGE SHEINER DIES

ALAMEDA, June 27.—George Sheiner, the well known musician of the Park band, and who has resided here for a number of years at his home on the corner of Ninth street and Centennial ave-

## DEDICATED TO THE HEESEMANS.

FRESNO, CAL'A, June 25-05.

B. Bereovich, 11th and Washington Sts.

Heesemans 1; Fresno 0;

Batteries: Hitt and Lebrandt, Tyson and Heelen.

JACK LUTGEN.

The first game of the season was well played. While music was dispensed by Fresno's band; The Heesemans had their strongest men arrayed. While Bereovich was passing the glad hand.

On April second was that game won—The Fresno boys scored twice to Heesemans' three; And those who saw just how the thing was done, Would swear by Heesemans' team on land or sea.

The next game played was lost by real hard to And the third and fourth and fifth were lost, Till nine games in a row the team got stuck. Then all said that the Heesemans were a front.

And Bereovich was joshed day after day— "What was the score?" and "Did they beat you yet?" "Why don't you sign another team?" they'd say, "I would if I were you"—and Bill felt sad.

Next game, June twenty-fifth, brought them once more To Fresno, up against the wonder, HITT; And Bill just guessed what Fortune had in store. But still continued passing the GLAD MITT.

Bill had no twirler who could pitch at all; On Saturday he skidmished here and there. And signed a youth named Tyson, very tall. To throw SUCH shoots and curves that men would stare.

And although Bill had confidence enough, He really did not think his team would score. He knew that HITT had curves and all the stuff. That wins games often, and could win some more.

Imagine how surprised Bill must have been When he received the telegram above, The Heesemans team another game did win; Bill now is happy as a girl in love.

And now again Bill passes the GLAD HAND, He has a team that wins once in a while. The Club is now a very joyful band, And Bill's face is one, long, perpetual smile.

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# NEWS OF THE DAY FROM THE SUBURBS

## FIGHT FOR PROPERTY

### Suicide's Estate Plum For Relatives.

BERKELEY, June 27.—It is probable that a sharp fight will be made for the estate left by Charles Schnelle, the aged German living alone at California and Rose streets in North Berkeley, who committed suicide yesterday afternoon by shooting himself with a revolver through his head. Schnelle used a small mirror, apparently, to insure the accuracy of his aim, the glass having been dropped at his feet before he took his life. Schnelle settled himself comfortably in an old rocking chair, crossed his legs and then died. The revolver dropped into his lap, where Deputy Coroner Straightiff found it a half hour later. Neighbors were informed of the tragedy by Mrs. L. Trimble, who occasionally served as housekeeper for Schnelle. She entered the house a few minutes after Schnelle had committed suicide, saw the corpse and hurried to inform others of the affair.

Schnelle was a wealthy widower, who lived practically alone for many years. He owned valuable real estate, scattered through West and North Berkeley. His holdings are estimated to be worth about \$100,000. He leaves a grandson, J. Schnelle, the issue of Schnelle's son, who died several years ago.

A trunk which is supposed to contain the old man's papers was turned over to Deputy Coroner Straightiff at the grandson's request. Straightiff locked the trunk, but refused to take it into custody, reserving the key to be delivered to the proper authorities later.

There are other relatives, it is said, who will seek a share of the estate left by the old German.

## NOTES AT ELMHURST

### "Bids" Issued By Lodge=Rider Thrown.

ELMHURST, June 27.—At the regular meeting of Elm Camp of Woodmen of the World last night in Red Men's Hall, there were present three visitors from the San Leandro encampment. They were Louis Critchlow, L. D. McArchie, and J. N. Frank, the committee preparing for the public installation of officers on July 8. They extended a cordial invitation for the Elmhurst brethren to join their lodge at the festivities, which will include a banquet and addresses by many of the best known Woodmen in the State.

The invitation was immediately accepted with thanks, and arrangements commenced to attend the entertainment in a body.

**RIDER IS THROWN.**

While breaking in a colt belonging to Frank Williams after noon, Joe Madera of this place was thrown off and bruised. The trainer was exercising the horse in Meyer's field on Mountain View avenue, and when it had escaped, the animal galloped away toward Oakland on the Fruitvale road. It took a long time to catch it.

No serious injury was suffered by Madera, who received only a few bumps and bruises.

**PERSONALS.**

Mrs. Leach of Alameda is visiting Miss M. Young of this place for a few days.

Miss Studley of San Rafael is the guest of Mrs. A. Shaw this week.

George Graves was in Haywards yesterday on business.

## ITALY STRIVING TO END TROUBLE

ROME, June 27.—It is semi-officially announced that Italy as a member of the triple alliance and as the friend of France, having favored the understanding between Great Britain, France and Spain regarding Morocco, is now using all her influence to bring about a peaceful solution of the differences between France and Germany, which might consist in France adhering to the plan for an international conference after the establishment of the fact that the program is to be submitted for discussion by the conference would not be injurious to her interests.

When your feet are very tired bathe them in hot water, dry, so over them with olive oil, wipe and apply powdered starch freely. They will feel a source of joy instead of pain.

## Baby Mine

Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. \$1.00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent to any address free upon application to **GRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.**

## COLLEGE BOY TELLS OF THE BIG FAIR.

### Glories of Portland Exposition Discussed By Eugene Hallett—Clever Youngster's Plan.



EUGENE R. HALLETT.

BERKELEY, June 27.—Fresh from the glories of the big fair at Portland, Eugene R. Hallett, a prominent collegian, returned to Berkeley today, prepared to begin a campaign for the transportation people he represents during the summer, and incidentally to arrange for the completion of his work at the University before he graduates.

Hallett has been at Portland for the Wawona Route Company, which corporation controls the most desirable line into the Yosemite Valley. It was part of Hallett's function at Portland to direct folk who purposed coming California-ward (and a few who did not thus purpose) to taste of the joys to be found in Yosemite, via the Wawona route. A skilful debater, Hallett found little difficulty in interesting the multitude in the beautiful valley and its charms, and declares that everything looks rosy for a splendid season in the Yosemite.

"The fair at Portland," says Hallett, "is a magnificent success. The Oregon people are flocking there, and everybody apparently is satisfied. The Easterners are not there in great numbers, but they may be expected later."

After completing his task of preparing advertising material for the Yosemite people, Hallett will look after his fenses at the University. He was president of the Class of '05 at the University, but did not graduate. "Too many activities," he says, "were on my mind when it became known that the brilliant class president was not to get his degree. Hallett will make that all up, however, in a few months, and soon will have his coveted diploma from the University."

## WORK BY TRUSTEES OF BERKELEY.

### Grist of Business Given Attention By Town Officials=Reports of Committees.

BERKELEY, June 27.—The Board of Town Trustees met last night, the following members being present: Trustees Rickard, Hoff, Olsen, Connor and Shaad. The finance committee reported, approving the following demands:

Against the General Fund—Thomas Rickard, \$165; Berkeley Electric Lighting Co., \$1092.64; H. S. Crocker Co., \$15; A. Carlisle & Co., \$30.55; Jos. Ryan, \$40; Paul Brant, \$11; G. F. Reinhardt, \$2.10; J. W. Virgin, \$70; J. Teel Farrar, \$70; G. H. Thompson, \$25; S. H. Borkheim, \$10; The Rix Press, \$8; H. R. Sorensen, \$120; H. S. Howard, \$10; Robert Edgar, \$125; J. A. Pinkerton, \$6.60; Fred L. Wharf, \$100; C. R. Lord, \$125; C. Engebretsen, \$100; Parcells Safe Co., \$127.50; Wm. E. Atchison, \$70; Marquand Printing Co., \$15; Contra Costa Water Co., \$651.30; Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., \$9; Geo. Grimshaw, \$125; E. J. Banker, \$2; A. R. Ward, \$22.70; Students Transfer Co., \$26; F. W. Foss Co., \$7.23; W. H. Marston, \$35.20; John Lestrang, \$70; L. J. Moran, \$75; H. T. Bower, \$25; Harry H. Johnson, \$125; G. W. Bloom, \$10; Dwight Way Co. Cling's Co., \$125; R. H. Bradshaw, \$125; The Recorder P. & Pub. Co., \$5; Thomas Turner, \$75; E. Q. Turner, \$145; North Berkeley Fire Co., \$10; H. Logan, \$10; August Vollmer, \$125; Fire Department pay roll, \$790.

### RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Resolutions of intention were adopted as follows: For sewer in Eighth street from Grayson street 160 feet north; for sewer in Bruce street from Bancroft way 550 feet north; for macadamizing, guttering, cross-walking and culverting Carlton street from Grove to California streets; for cement walk as follows—on both sides of Deakin street between Ashby avenue and Woolsey street; on north side of Rose street between Shattuck avenue and Lincoln street; for macadamizing and guttering Derby street between Ellsworth and Adeline streets.

For opening and extending streets, as follows: Snyder avenue, from its present westerly terminus to the same westerly terminus to same point. Resolutions were adopted: rescinding Resolution of Intention No. 876—A, for sewer in King street from Tyler street 250 feet north; rescinding Resolution of Intention No. 896—A, for guttering and macadamizing Carlton street between Grove and California streets.

Resolutions Adopting Specifications: For sewer in Eighth street, from Grayson street north 160 feet; for sewer in Bruce street, from Bancroft way 550 feet north; for macadamizing, guttering, cross-walking and culverting Carlton street, between Grove and California streets, were approved.

### STREET REPORT.

The committee on streets reported,

recommending as follows:

That Derby street from Telegraph avenue westerly to Shattuck avenue be macadamized and guttered.

That the petition of H. W. Brayton for a sewer in Grove street from Oregon street southerly be granted.

That a petition for the opening of Bancroft way between Warring street and Prospect avenue be granted.

That cement walks be constructed on the east side of Deakin street from Ashby avenue southerly where not already laid. All adopted.

**ENGINEER'S REPORT.**

Engineer McClure reported that he has appointed John J. Jessup as his chief assistant, and asked that the appointment be confirmed, which was done.

A request of the Engineer that he be authorized to install about 200 monuments at street intersections, where these are absent, which request was granted.

**BIDS ACCEPTED.**

The bids of the Contra Costa Construction Company, for laying six-inch sewer in San Pablo avenue from Bancroft way 300 feet north, and for six-inch sewer in Alston way, from 100 feet east of Tenth street, thence along Alston way to San Pablo; thence along San Pablo avenue southerly 200 feet, were accepted.

**LAUNDRY REGULATIONS.**

An ordinance regulating the location of laundries, etc., was adopted.

## DETAINED IN JAIL

### Arizona Visitor Causes Some Trouble.

HAYWARDS, June 27.—After consuming a large quantity of California wine last Saturday afternoon, John Ryan, late of Arizona, leaned on the window of Jesse Woods' store so hard that the glass was broken. John Ryan, the deputy constable, was at hand and immediately arrested Ryan, whom he left in the Town Jail until yesterday morning.

At the arraignment before Justice Brown yesterday the accused pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace. On his promise to leave town immediately the judge allowed him to go.

**CRYSTAL WEDDING.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Costa of the Mount Eden road were pleasantly surprised Sunday evening by a visit from about forty of their friends. It was the fifteenth anniversary of the wedding of the worthy pair, and the guests celebrated the day by bringing numerous gifts of glassware. Refreshments had been carried in baskets and a dainty collation was soon prepared. Afterward games were played and dancing was indulged in for a few hours.

**CATHOLICS CELEBRATE.**

In honor of Trinity Sunday the members of All Saints' Church of Haywards had special services day before yesterday. There was a solemn high mass, presided over by the Rev. Father Villard. The Haywards Concert Band played a number of musical selections and the sermon was especially in honor of the day. A larger number than usual attended the impressive service.

**KINSEY-ZUMWALT.**

Rev. J. Kinsey will perform the ceremony tomorrow afternoon to unite his daughter, Miss Julia M. Kinsey of this place, and Don J. Zumwalt of Klamath Falls, Or. The ceremony is to take place at the home of Miss Anna Overmiller. After the honeymoon the young couple will settle at Klamath Falls, where the groom is the City Engineer. The bride is well known here as a vocal artist of great talent.

**NEWS NOTES.**

By a score of 5 to 1 the Haywards nine defeated the San Francisco Independents last Sunday. The game was a poor one, all the runs being made on errors.

J. Rupprecht of Castro street was taken to the San Francisco German Hospital yesterday, being very low with gangrene. The disease has attacked one of his limbs as the result of an ingrowing toe-nail. It is thought probable the member will have to be amputated.

Arthur Allen's threshing machine was taken to San Jose yesterday by a traction engine. The threshing season is just commencing there.

The party campers from this place, who have been spending several weeks in the Yosemite, are expected home next Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, Miss Bernice Graham and R. Reid are among the members of the party.

**W. J. BRYAN OFFERS A PRIZE REWARD**

BERKELEY, June 27.—The University Chronicle, a quarterly publication issued by the University authorities, announces that William Jennings Bryan, as trustee for the late Philo Sherman Bennett, has offered the sum of \$400 as an endowment for prize awards in an essay competition on the subject, "Opportunities of a free government."

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## NOVEL FEATURE FOR LODGE IN CELEBRATION.



CAPTAIN J. W. GILLOGLY, WHO IS TAKING AN ACTIVE PART IN THE FOURTH OF JULY PREPARATIONS.

## "The Ancient Chorus" Will Sing Patriotic Songs in Alameda.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—One of the novel features to be presented during the local celebration of the Fourth of July will be "The Ancient Chorus," composed of men past 60, who, under the direction of City Trustee Fritz Boehmer, will discourse patriotic airs. "The Ancient Chorus" was formed in this city by Boehmer three years ago, and since that time these defers of Dr. Oeder's theory have sung themselves into fame.

Senator E. K. Taylor, while not a bona fide member of the organization because of lack of years, has as secretary issued the following call:

Members of the Old Men's Singing Club are requested by the president to be present at a meeting tonight, Tuesday, June 27, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Tucker building, next to Postoffice, to make the necessary arrangements to participate in the celebration of our glorious Fourth.

New members at the age from 60 to 80 will be admitted as active members, and over 80 to 100 years old may join as honorary members of the club.

At our last concert in 1901 the club counted 101 members at the aggregate age of 6865 years; adding four years since to it, the average life of each singer is seen to be 70 years, or in total 7070 years in 1905.

A large attendance is greatly desired. Yours truly, E. K. TAYLOR, Secretary.

### LOCATED IN LOS ANGELES.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—Albert Ruhlberg of 326 Santa Clara avenue, who left home suddenly, and thereby caused his wife to fear that he had met with foul play, has turned up safe and sound in Los Angeles. His wife received a telegram from him yesterday afternoon stating that he was alive and well and that he would return shortly to this city, where the circumstances of his hasty departure gave rise to much speculation and anxiety.

### NEIGHBORS' ROW.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—It is understood that Mrs. George H. Page of 2322 Frank avenue, who escaped lightly on a charge of battery preferred by her next-door neighbor, Mrs. Agnes Brewer, there has been bad blood existing between the two for some time, and a few months ago the present state of affairs was reversed. Mrs. Page having Mrs. Brewer in the toils of the law.

Judge R. B. Tappan takes the view that the battery, if such it was, was justifiable under the circumstances, as Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Page swears, applied remarks to her seriously reflecting on her character. He has signified his intention of dismissing the charge when the case comes up on Friday. In the judicial opinion there is a limit to female

patience under the goad of insulting language.

### MARRIED IN SAN JOSE.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—Harry P. Furey and Ida Stinson were married in San Jose on Saturday at high noon, the news just reaching Alameda today. Without a word to friends, they quietly slipped away to the Garden City and were wed. Both are well known in Alameda. Herman Unna acted as best man at the wedding and Mrs. Ladlow, a sister of the bride, was the maid of honor.

The couple will spend their honeymoon in Southern California, and upon their return will reside in this city.

### FIRE CHIEF'S VACATION.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—Fire Chief Fred K. Krauth left this morning on a vacation of sixteen days, but will return to Alameda for the Fourth of July. Many months since the Chief has had any respite from his labors, as owing to the illness of Assistant Chief Frank K. Millington he was unable to secure a leave of absence. He will visit points of interest about the State.

### FUNERAL TOMORROW.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Gardiner will take place tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. from her late residence, 1118 Broadway, Mrs. Gardiner has been ailing for some time, but her last illness, which terminated yesterday, only confined her to her bed for three days.

### PERSONAL NOTES.

ALAMEDA, June 27.—Miss Leoline Mitchell of Walnut street and San Jose avenue is with friends at Guerneville. Joseph Morlize returned today from a visit to his marsh palace near Neway. Dr. E. M. Keyes and Harold Keyes have returned from a short stay at the family's summer home at Brookdale. Sam Frank spent a few days at the Frank camp near Guerneville. Walter W. Goggin has returned after a sojourn at Monte Rio on the Russian River. Miss Charlotte Deas is spending the summer months at Mesa Grande. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernard and family have returned after spending a pleasant week with friends in Redwood canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Kahn have returned after a short sojourn in San Jose. Misses Louise and Bessie Frier have returned from Guerneville, where they spent a month in camp. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Clay and Miss Roberta Clark spent Sunday with friends near Guerneville Park. Mrs. T. Carpenter and Miss Gwendolyn Carpenter returned today after a two weeks' sojourn at "Aloha Cottage," Brookdale, the summer home of Mrs. A. P. Holland. Arthur Mock, formerly supervising teacher of the Everett school, is visiting friends at Santa Rosa. Frank K. Jackson has gone to Brookdale for the summer months. Locke Cortelyou of 2321 San Jose avenue is spending the week at Guerneville. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Doe and family of 2410 Bridge avenue will leave for Portland on the 1st inst., where they will spend a month. Mrs. Charles Foster and family of 1011 Grand street left today for Cloverdale, where they will spend three weeks. City Trustee W. M. Bowers has returned from a sojourn at Duncan Springs. Dr. C. L. Tidale has returned from a two weeks' fishing trip on the Rogue river, Oregon. City Clerk James W. Gillogly has returned from a short vacation spent at Guerneville.

### THE IMPORTANT QUESTION.

A preacher at Liberty, is getting sporty. He offers to bet \$1000 with an Adventist that he can prove that Sunday is "the Sabbath of the Bible." A board of inquiry is to be appointed, and Mr. C. F. Doe has offered to bet, but where he got \$1000. That is the overshadowing question.—Kansas City Journal.

## LODGE IN SESSION

### Supreme Pres. of the U. P. E. C. Present.

SAN LEANDRO, June 27.—M. Fraga of Benicia, the Supreme President of the U. P. E. C., was here Sunday evening and delivered an address at the monthly meeting of the local council. He spoke on the order, reviewing the quick and steady growth in the few years of its existence. The San Leandro branch came in for a good deal of praise.

Four new members were initiated and the work of the local team won the approval of the guest officer. His speech was followed by remarks by L. J. Martin, the president of Council No. 1, and the supreme secretary. After the business and social making the guests sat down to a banquet. It was after midnight when the party broke up.

### ANNUAL PICNIC.

Everything is in readiness for the excursion of the San Leandro Lodge of the Knights of Pythias, No. 274. The outing is to take place tomorrow, and will consist of a trip on the bay on the steamer Corcoran, with the principal stop at Martinez.

At this place there will be a game of baseball between the local nine and the E. C. Hahns. There will also be exhibition drills by the different companies of the U. R. K. of P. The luncheon will be served and eaten at a grove in Martinez.

A special car has been engaged to take the San Leandro residents to Oakland. It is to leave here at a quarter of eight. The tickets will be good on no other car.

The following committee has charge of preparing the entertainment for the San Leandro contingent: Anthony Thomas (chairman), A. A. Rogers, D. C. Moore, and R. B. Meyers.

L. D. Critchlow, L. D. McArchie, and Dr. K. B. Smith compose the members of the San Leandro Lodge of Woodmen who are to form part of the Alameda County Promotion Committee of the W. O. W. They will meet with the other members of the committee tonight at the Oakland Hall.

J. A. Dyer of Haywards avenue is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of nervous prostration brought on by heart weakness.

## SPEEDERS SPOTTED

### Constable Carroll After Auto Drivers.

FRUITVALE, June 27.—Tom Carroll, the constable, has been very active the last two days in detecting automobiles whose drivers exceed the legal speed limit. During Saturday and Sunday he took the numbers of eleven different autos being driven faster than fifteen miles an hour right in the heart of Fruitvale. These numbers he has sent to the Oakland police station and warrants are being issued for the arrest of the owners of the machines.

Armed with a spyglass and stop watch the officer takes his stand at the corner of East Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue and keeps tab on all the devil wagons passing him. He is determined to stop the habitual violation of the regulations.

Residents of all the other towns along the road from here to San Jose are complaining of the actions of the reckless chauffeurs. The officers have been instructed to do their duty more vigilantly and are bound to stop the nuisance.

### BICYCLE STOLEN.

Yesterday a boy stopped in town, coming from Oakland, and tried to sell a bicycle to one of the storekeepers. Doubtful if the boy was honest, the man said he would hand for the constable and find out if the machine was stolen.

Remembering that he didn't want any Tom Carroll in his, the boy left the place hurriedly, leaving the machine. When the officer arrived the lad was nowhere to be found. The wheel is an old one but the frame is new. The seat is a cheap but is a reliable, the seat being tied upon the frame with rope. The number of the bicycle is 34,717. It is in the custody of the officer.

### LETTER LIST.

Mrs. Henry Busch, Mrs. T. J. Cox, Mrs. W. T. Cooper, Mrs. J. M. Gendring, Miss Anna Gilmore, Mrs. C. Iselin, Mrs. E. Lewis, Mrs. F. A. Pratt, Miss Maud Williams, Miss M. G. Williams, A. S. Jacques, "Ingandis."

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PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND.

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## EMPLOYERS FAVOR A BATTLE

### Teamsters' Strike in Chicago Threatens to Spread.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The spread of the teamsters' strike to include 1000 drivers of local express and small delivery wagons was a possibility today. An ultimatum has been already delivered by the teamsters, and the employers called a special meeting this afternoon to return an answer. Sentiment was strongly in favor of a fight.

The trouble with the delivery drivers started when a wagon belonging to Page Brothers' Express Company hauled a load of tobacco to a strike affected firm. President Shea immediately sent a committee to wait upon the express concern with a demand that deliveries to strike affected firms cease.

The Page Brothers' Company is a member of the Furniture Movers' and Expressmen's Association, comprising 200 employers and nearly 1000 teams in the city. The union committee threatened to call a strike against the entire association.

The raising of money with which to conduct the strike is giving the teamsters' leaders grave concern. President Shea has issued an appeal to all the Chicago teams to meet at once and take up the matter of funds.

Three hundred former employees of the American Express Company attacked a wagon of the company, driven by John B. James, last night. James was struck on the head with a brick and probably fatally injured. Four arrests were made.

## PROTECT LIFE

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Rear Admiral Kempff, retired, has reported to Secretary Metcalf regarding the investigation of steamers and ferry-boats of the district comprising San Francisco harbor and other California points. Admiral Kempff is one of a number of special inspectors appointed soon after the Slocum disaster to make a report regarding the life-saving equipment of ocean-going and river steamers in various parts of the United States.

The inspection of the Pacific Coast vessels shows nothing in detail regarding the ferry-boat system of San Francisco bay or elsewhere. The investigators reported only details regarding the sort of life preservers required on ocean-going and other steamers and the manner of handling the lifeboats by ferry crews.

Admiral Kempff reports that 142 steamers were inspected at San Francisco, San Diego, Eureka and Sacramento. He says that the defects of the steamer George W. Elder are charged to the Portland division of inspection. The Elder is said to have been delinquent in boat drills and lacked the necessary fire apparatus. Admiral Kempff intimates that after the first inspection there was a vast improvement in equipment, and on reinspection many vessels were in comparatively good trim.

## WHIPPED COACHMAN

GOSHEN, Ind., June 27.—Millionaire J. E. Ingram of Chicago, whose summer home is at New Paris, angered at the continued spite of Peter Johnson, his discharged coachman, brought from the city, walked up the main street of the village and gave Johnson a terrible beating with a whip, bringing blood from welts on his head and body. Johnson is a powerful fellow, but he was unable to resist. He retired to a lumber yard to nurse his wounds and Ingram telephoned to Goshen for Sheriff Manning.

Take this man to jail and keep him there until next Saturday night. I will then come and send him back to Chicago and pay you for your trouble," requested Ingram, and the compliance was prompt.

A hundred people saw the horse-whipping, which occurred half an hour after Ingram had discharged his coachman. It is probable that Ingram will be arrested on charges preferred by indignant citizens, who at first made threats of lynching.

## Acids of Wheat

keep it sweet and preserve all its flavor and nutrition. In making California Wheatine all the moisture as well as the hull is removed, leaving only the meaty kernel.

Flaked wheat food for breakfast. All good grocers.

Pacific Cereal Association  
San Francisco

## GENERAL WOOD IS ENROUTE

### Arrives in San Francisco on His Way to President.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The Pacific Mail liner Manchuria arrived today from the Orient via Honolulu, having a large list of passengers and cargo of nearly 9000 tons. She left Yokohama on June 11 and Honolulu June 21, gaining two days on the run from Hong Kong.

Among the passengers on the Manchuria were Major-General Leonard Wood and wife, who are on a flying trip to the East; Hamilton King, American Minister to Siam, returning on account of ill health, accompanied by his wife; Count Hirokichi Mutsu, en route to London to resume his duties as secretary to the Japanese Embassy; Lieutenant-Commanders H. Hutchins and A. W. Dodd, and Lieutenant J. J. Raby, who after three years' service in the Philippines are coming back for shore duty, and Captain H. Dorset, aid-de-camp to General Wood.

General Wood says that conditions in the Philippines are rapidly improving. The insubordinate natives have been subdued and the entire country soon will be peaceful.

He declares that Manila is much more beautiful than is generally supposed, and as evidence of his belief in this statement, said he had left his children behind. He will go direct to Boston tomorrow.

Though he does not expect to visit Washington, he will be the guest of President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.

The General declares positively that his trip is for purely personal purposes and has no political significance.

## RAILROAD MEN IN ATHLETIC CLUB

CHICAGO, June 27.—Railroad officials are going to cut a big figure in the membership of the new Illinois Athletic Club. Already there are over 700 of them on the list, and there is every reason to believe that before the club occupies its new building, now in course of construction on Michigan avenue, they will have been increased to 1500. The intention is to make the new athletic club the social headquarters of the railroad fraternity.

Among the prominent railroad officials who are now members of the club are J. H. Hild of the Milwaukee and St. Paul; James M. Gruber, Burlington; Fred A. Wann, Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton; John P. Stevens, Rock Island; W. D. Cantillon, Northwestern; C. A. Cairns, Northwestern; W. H. Richardson, Eastern Illinois; W. L. Ross, Toledo, Peoria and Western; and John M. Roach, president of the Union Traction Company.

## WOMEN INJURED

SANTA ROSA, June 27.—A horse running loose on the streets caused four women to be thrown from vehicles, and two of them were injured severely. The horse first collided with a buggy in which Miss Hazel Wadsworth and Miss Floy Pedigo were driving. Both were thrown out. Miss Wadsworth sustaining a broken nose, a split lip and serious abrasions on her forehead and cheek. After the vehicle had been thrown from their vehicle, the horse continued to run and finally crashed into a buggy occupied by Miss Katie Pierce and Mrs. J. P. Duke. This vehicle was badly wrecked and the occupants thrown out. Both women are nurses at Burke's Sanatorium. Miss Pierce sustained a broken rib and was removed to the sanatorium at Altruria in an ambulance. Mrs. Duke fortunately escaped without any broken bones, but with severe bruises. Miss Pedigo also was uninjured beyond bruises and contusions.

## TO SET ASIDE PALOUSE PROJECT

SPOKANE, Wash., June 27.—The Congressional Irrigation Committee, which stopped in Spokane for four hours as guests of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce last night, said the Palouse Irrigation project, designed to reclaim hundreds of thousands of acres of arid lands in Central Washington will for the present be set aside by Congress. But the faith of Senator Newlands of Nevada and Senator Anthony of Washington, that the work will ultimately be done, is firm. The committee went East on a late train.

## WIFE GONE HE ENTERTAINS HIS FRIENDS



EUGENE BELROSE.

Last evening at the home of Eugene Belrose, of 450 College Avenue, a number of his bachelor friends gathered to spend the evening and enjoy his hospitality. The occasion was prompted by the temporary single life of the host, his wife and family having departed for Europe last week.

Later in the evening covers were laid for eleven guests. Charles A. Street acted as toastmaster. The subjects of "blessed married life" and "single cussedness" were discussed at

great length. "Home, Sweet Home" was sung at midnight, after which the host was unanimously voted a jolly good fellow. Among those present were: M. K. McKenzie, of the Collection Department of the Oakland Traction Company; Frank Harlow, Russell J. Longnecker, of the Water Department of the Oakland Traction Company; William Harlow, Elmer Harlow, Charles A. Street, Jack H. Solomon, George Alexander Street and William Noome.

## SINGLE TAXER ON PLATFORM

### DECLARES CORPORATE GREED IS SOURCE OF MUNICIPAL CORRUPTION.

John Z. White, the well-known Chicago single-taxer, addressed the East Oakland Debating Society in the Pilgrim Congregational Church last night on "The Source of Municipal Corruption."

The church was well filled and the address commanded the close attention of those who heard Mr. White. During the course of his remarks Mr. White stated that there was no public corruption in the cities or States of the nation that was not the result of the misuse of the sovereign powers of government, to-wit, "The police power," the "right of eminent domain," the "right of franchise," and the "right of way" as evidenced in the granting of franchises to railroads, gas, water and street car companies.

The police power, which embraces the army, navy and detective forces of the nation, had been put on a theoretically correct basis.

This had been done, he said, by the French at the fall of the Bastille, the Saxons when they got from King John the Magna Charta, and later abolished the Star Chamber, and the Americans when they adopted the Declaration of Independence and organized the principles of that instrument in the Constitution of the United States.

There might be scandals arise in the police power of the nation, but there is not now any misuse of the power because of the place it had taken in the nation. He stated that the only hint of the return of star chamber methods occurred in the recent trouble in Colorado.

He was of the opinion that there would always be a misuse of the police power that would work a hardship to the people at large, when that power was placed in private control, and it then could not help but become a means by which those in control of that power sought to enrich themselves.

With "the tenure of land" and the "right of way" the speaker stated that the abuses and corruption of the national life arose. In speaking of the former he stated that the only hint of the return of star chamber methods occurred in the recent trouble in Colorado.

## DANDRUFF Makes Thin, Falling Hair.

"My head was for ten years covered with dandruff, and I looked like a diseased animal. I used Hair-Remover, and in a few days I was free of it. I feel like a new man now."—P. H. Daniels, 113 Bond Street, Brooklyn, N.Y.

## PHYSICIAN WILL ERECT NEW BUILDING

Dr. D. W. Huntington has made an application for a building permit to erect a pharmacy near the corner of Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue for the local physicians. The building will be 40x100 feet and will be two stories high. It will have a square front, with an arched doorway, and there will be two pedestals adjoining the top of the building on the east and west corners. The interior of the pharmacy will be handsomely appointed. The building will be 25x100 feet and there will also be a large reception room 17x22 feet and a reception room 17x17. There will also be a reception room for the hospital corps.

## GUilty OF BATTERY.

William Sherbon was found guilty by Police Judge Samuels for battery on A. E. Scriven. There was a bitter feeling existing between the two men, owing to a damages suit pending in the Superior Court. Sherbon claims that in passing Scriven on the street a peanut was thrown at him. Sherbon is then alleged to have assaulted Scriven. In the testimony before Judge Samuels there was nothing to indicate that the peanut figured in the case. Sherbon was found guilty, and he will come up for sentence on June 29.

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## How's Your Complexion?

If your complexion is muddy, sallow and pimply you are probably troubled with a torpid liver, and more or less constipation. You must have a movement of the bowels each day, otherwise the bile from the liver and impurities of the body become absorbed into the blood instead of being carried off through the natural channels, the bowels. Take one

## Vigorets.

at night before retiring. "VIGORETS" are a tiny, chocolate coated tonic laxative tablet that moves the bowels gently, yet thoroughly each day, curing chronic constipation, biliousness and sick headache. They cool, cleanse and purify the blood and are sold by druggists in 25c packages (50 tablets) and trial size (15 tablets) for 10 cents.

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One of the most important announcements we have made. We have reduced all leather upholstered couches and rockers to effect an immediate sale. We propose, if possible, to close out every couch and chair in the store and have made reductions which should effect an immediate sale. For folks with libraries to furnish, for business men with fine offices and for all who appreciate comfort and economy, this advertisement should be of intense interest. The old prices remain as marked originally, so that you can see the reductions for yourself.

## Reductions in Couches

Our \$93 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$59.50  
Our \$85 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$55.00  
Our \$88 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$54.00  
Our \$80 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$52.50  
Our \$68 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$47.00  
Our \$65 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$42.00  
Our \$46 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$35.00  
Our \$45 leather upholstered couches reduced to \$35.00

Here is one of the couches. The price of this couch was \$45. It is covered with dark olive leather, closely tufted. Solid, quarter sawed oak frame, spring edges and very heavy legs—30 inches wide and 6 ft. 3 inches long.

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## WATER FRONT IS SOLD

### FAMOUS PROPERTY IN SAN FRANCISCO CHANGES HANDS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The sale of two blocks of land fronting on East street, between Sacramento and Commercial, and Clay streets yesterday, marks the beginning of the end of what has been for nearly half a century a picturesque although unsightly part of the city. The sale was made by A. J. Rich & Co. for the Frank Estate Company to the Henry Cowell Lumber Company, who was represented by Von Rhein & Co. in the negotiations. The purchase price has not been made public, though it is said to have been in the neighborhood of \$500,000.

Everybody in San Francisco, and everybody who has ever been in San Francisco, knows where this property is located, cornering as it does at Market and Sacramento streets and running along East street two blocks to Clay street. In early days, when Montgomery street was high tide, this land was well out in the bay, then came a partial filling up by cutting down and shoveling in the hills. The high tide line receded and the water was run out by the ferry, a toll wharf, on which a few was charged terms passing along the wharf to and from the ferry and for the loading of freight. Hundreds of men in the city today remember the old toll wharf. Then came the filling up of "Yerba Buena Cove," and this particular property was purchased by the late Michael Reese, who about forty years ago sold it to S. J. Frank. It is said to have been paying a revenue of about \$25,000 per year. While the property has a frontage on East street of two blocks, it has an irregular depth of from 100 to 200 feet.

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ORGAN RECITAL  
There will be a free organ recital and musical social at the First Free U. T. Church Mission, 1006 Webster street, Tuesday evening.

## SMELLS POWDER

### Fire Chief Plans For Protection on Fourth.

BERKELEY, June 27.—Chief Kennedy of the Fire Department reminded the Town Trustees last night that the Fourth of July is near at hand, and in that connection suggested that the two small reserve wagons be used for scout duty at Lorin and in the Second Ward and extra pay be allowed for men kept at houses during both day and night. This was ordered done. Chief Kennedy suggested in view of the ordinance which now puts electrical inspection work under his supervision, that W. Brothers be assigned to Peralta Fire Company, and also work as inspector of wiring in houses, and to assist in going outside line work on the fire alarm systems, as "one man cannot do all the work." The Trustees took action in this report by engaging Mr. Brothers at a salary of \$70 per month.

## MOVEMENTS OF BERKELEY FOLK

BERKELEY, June 27.—W. E. Knowles is registered at Adams Springs. Robert Belcher of this city is at Actna Springs. J. L. Barker is at Santa Cruz. H. H. Johnson is spending a few days at the Geysers. Thomas Cottrell is at Lakeside Park. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Addison are at Agua Caliente Springs. Miss Emma F. Nelson is at Saratoga Springs. Mrs. M. L. Clarke of this city is at the Hotel Howardman. C. E. and T. C. Gilie are at Klamath Hot Springs. Mrs. W. S. Morley and daughter are at Solid Comfort Resort. Mrs. Jones and daughter are at the Geysers. Miss Harriet M. Grover and Miss Mary E. Scott are at Lakeside Park. C. H. Bailey and the Misses C. and E. Bailey are at Agua Caliente Springs. Professor Elmer Nichols and wife of Berkeley are stopping at the Naylor cottage at Ben Lomond, Santa Cruz. Professor H. K. Schilling, Mrs. E. C. Kidder and daughter are at the Hotel Howardman. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckham and Margaret, Barron and Sidney Buckham are at the Sea Beach Hotel, Santa Cruz. Mrs. Robert Mills, who has been confined at the Livermore Sanitarium with nervous prostration, is now out again. She moved from 2110 Hearst avenue to Oakland.

Pushy—It must take remarkable skill to raise a creek.  
Hardup—Oh, I know. It's how to get hold of it or the first place that can't see through—Detroit Press.

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WAR DRAMA A SUCCESS  
"SECRET SERVICE" DRAWS A LARGE MONDAY NIGHT AUDIENCE.  
Last night at the Ye Liberty Playhouse, the management has as the attraction for this week Wm. Gillette's greatest war drama, "Secret Service." The house was well filled, and from the applause given from the audience, it will unquestionably become one of the most popular plays ever presented here. The scenes are laid around the city of Richmond, during the bitter struggle between the North and the South, at the time of the Civil War. It is a beautiful war story and has all the thrilling experiences of Secret Service work during the war. Laurence Stevens, who plays the part of Captain Thorne, alias Lewis Dumont, of the United States Secret Service, gives a clever impersonation of that character. His best work was done in the third act, the War Department telegraph office, Richmond.

Forced to Starve.  
B. F. Leek of Concord, Ky., says: "For twenty years I suffered with a sore on my upper lip, so painful sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At Osgood's drug stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington. Only 25c."